

HEAVY VOTE AT THE PRIMARY ELECTION

BOTH RANDOLPH AND MOTT CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS AT POLLS.

Both Sides Claim Victory in the Fourth and Sixth Wards—The Contest in the Seventh—Taylor Men Appear to Be Confident in the Fifth Ward.

The "strange bed-fellows", made by recent politics were up early this morning and the result was that the heaviest early morning vote since the days when the primaries meant everything in campaigning was cast. And not only were the ante-Australian ballot days recalled by the heavy voting, but the work of the ward leaders and their lieutenants and the high feeling that ran at the polls, reminded one of the politics done in the olden times.

HEAVY VOTE.

In many of the precincts throughout the city more than a fourth of the voters registered had cast their ballots before 9 o'clock. In fact, the election officers found it difficult to accommodate those eager to vote from the time the polls opened until after 10 o'clock, when there came the usual midday lull in the balloting. Again at the noon hour the voting became vigorous and it continued steady throughout the afternoon.

While both sides claim the victory, the supporters of George E. Randolph for the Mayoralty are the more confident, but it is not conceded by those who watched the voting in the various wards that he has elected his delegates in the wards where there are contests. Mott and Randolph both claim the Fourth and Sixth wards. The contest is very close. These wards will decide the battle.

In the First and Second wards there were no contests.

QUARRELS AT POLLS.

During the day there were several quarrels at the polls and in some instances blows were exchanged, but considering the bitter feeling and the conflict of interests of those who formerly worked together, the day was a comparatively peaceful one.

FIRST WARD

As in the other wards the early morning vote was heavy in the First, although it did not compare with that cast in those districts where there were contests.

Alex McAdam, who wants to again represent the First in the City Council, had his forces well in hand, and as there was no opposition to him, his election was assured before noon. He gathered his supporters at the polls early and the votes were quietly cast.

The delegates will support Frank K. Mott for Mayor and Fred Clift for School Director.

SECOND WARD

Not unlike the First, the Second Ward voting was quietly conducted and the voters went early to the polls. The Earl-Snook faction was well organized and the delegation will be for Mott, although the workers for D. C. Brown showed more strength than was generally expected. Brown's supporters, by the way, were in evidence in every one of the thirty-six precincts in the city.

Among those around the polling places were Guy C. Earl, Charles E. Snook, Abe P. Leach, Harry Pulcher, W. E. Dean and others who are fighting for Mott.

THIRD WARD

George Fitzgerald will carry the Third Ward for Randolph and himself. This was conceded long before noon. An idea of how the voting went throughout the ward is gleaned from the vote in the Thirteenth Precinct,

where forty-five votes were polled before 8:30 o'clock.

In all the precincts of the ward the adherents of Randolph and Fitzgerald were in the majority.

District Attorney Allen, Walter Meese, W. M. Owens and other workers had their coats off, metaphorically speaking, in the interests of that ticket. They were all sure of victory, but they were determined not to let overconfidence beat them. The result was that they polled one of the heaviest early votes in the history of primaries in the ward.

FOURTH WARD

"We have the fight practically won," said Edwin Meese, who is leading the Meese-Randolph forces in the Fourth. "There's nothing to it," said Dick Ayer of the opposition.

Both acknowledged that the vote was close, but both were equally confident. Ed Noblett, who had been "keeping tabs" on the vote at the Twenty-second Precinct on Market street, said that of the eighty-six votes cast at 10 o'clock, between fifty and sixty were for the delegates favored by Meese and Randolph.

Among those who were working for the Randolph end of the fight in that precinct were ex-Supervisor W. H. Church, Dr. Emerson and Ed Noblett. They were opposed by Dick Ayer, Ed Planer and others.

While the Mott men would not admit defeat, the Meese-Randolph ticket was admittedly in the lead at noon with every evidence of a very close fight.

FIFTH WARD

The dignified Fifth, sometimes known as the "kid-glove" ward, was not exactly frenzied, but it was anything but quiet.

In this ward Felton Taylor, with such strong allies as Senator G. R. Lukens and J. Cal Ewing, is making the fight against the Mott ticket, for Trassard.

Taylor promises to take his own delegation into the convention. At noon it was virtually settled that he had won.

Frank K. Mott was one of those most prominent at the polls at Fourteenth and Webster streets, and Senator Lukens was also there.

Between voters, they chatted pleasantly together and one would never have suspected the political differences between them. Senator Lukens was reinforced by Ray Baker and a son of the old war horse Stephen T. Gage.

At this precinct 144 of the 699 votes had been cast at 10 o'clock.

SIXTH WARD

An arrest and several flat fights marked the day in the Sixth Ward, where Councilman Baccus is claiming victory over the ticket placed in the field by M. J. Kelly.

The man arrested was W. P. Bascisco, a sailor, who attempted to mix things with J. J. McElroy, a brother of City Attorney McElroy.

The trouble occurred at the booth at Seventh and Market streets. McElroy, who was present in the interests of Baccus and Randolph, was explaining his views to a voter when Bascisco attempted to interrupt him. Explosive language was used and McElroy promptly turned the sailor over to Policeman Scanlan, who sent him to the

City Prison on a charge of disturbing the peace.

The voting was fast and furious in that precinct and 168 votes had been cast before 10:30 o'clock. Assemblyman Phil M. Walsh, J. J. McElroy and others looked out for the Baccus-Randolph end of the fight.

The other side was represented by M. J. Kelly, Frank Perata, Jack McTavish, Jack Denahy and a score of others. As in the other precincts of the Sixth, three policemen were at the polls.

Most of the fighting in the Sixth was done at Sixth and Washington streets, but the crowd was well handled by Policemen Pardee and Powers.

There 150 votes were cast before 9 o'clock. Dan Doody, Frank Barnett, Ed Barnett and Councilman Baccus were at the polls and many others were watching their interests.

Opposed to them were Eddy Smith, Mel Tobrin, "Babe" Ghirardelli and others.

At the booth at Sixth and Harrison streets, the Baccus end of the fight was in the hands of Harry Borchert, but both sides were well represented.

By 10 o'clock they had cast 160 votes, the heaviest early balloting in the history of the ward.

SEVENTH WARD

Second only to the fight in the Sixth was that waged in the Seventh Ward, where Judge H. A. Melvin, County Clerk Cook, Supervisor Rowe, George Pierce and Councilman Aiken are opposed to Councilman Wallace, and the supporters of Mott and R. H. Chamberlain.

The fight in the Seventh is not admittedly a hard one and those who favor the ticket headed by Judge Melvin, say it is only a question of counting the votes.

In that case Randolph will be the choice of the Seventh Ward delegation for the Republican nomination for Mayor.

Every indication points to the success of that ticket.

Councilman G. E. Aitken said this afternoon that a conservative estimate of the votes in the Seventh Ward would give the Randolph side 5 to 1, east of Thirteenth avenue. In the Thirteenth avenue district it is estimated that the Randolph ticket is about 4 to 1 in the lead.

OTHER PARTIES

The fight between Republican factions was the only one in evidence throughout the city. The other parties participating merely that they might have delegates for conventions.

DEMOCRATS.

The Democratic delegates are as follows: First Ward—Morgan A. Fitzpatrick, A. E. Politer, Fred E. Mitchell, D. C. Krasky, Walter V. Harrington. Second Ward—Archibald Borsland, Isadore Cohen, A. B. Benington, Neal Gallagher, James Conkley, Chas. J. Burwell, E. H. Sexton, J. F. Reynolds, P. J. Ryan, H. J. Erickson.

Third Ward—J. C. Bullock, T. C. Coogan, David F. Selby, John J. McDonald, Jos. F. Mullen, A. T. McDonough and W. G. Reese. Fourth Ward—Wm. Basil White, Warren Olney Jr., Seth Mann, James Henneberry, Robt. W. Miller, Irwin J. Muma, S. Bachrach. Fifth Ward—P. E. Dalton, John M. English, Alex. Hirschberg, M. J. O'Garra, Chas. L. French, Thos. B. Coghill, Isaac P. Chapman. Sixth Ward—H. A. Luttrell, Owen Peeney, A. A. Gilbert, W. L. Price, Bernard Redican, Thos. White, M. L. Rawson, Edward Muldoon, D. J. Murphy, James McManus and M. E. McGuire. Seventh Ward—Dr. E. B. Stetson, M. J. Layman, Anthony Krets, C. P. Kirk, A. A. McNams, P. Mahoney, J. C. Downey, A. J. Rosborough.

UNION LABOR.

Union Labor delegates are as follows: First Ward—J. T. Kerns, J. Cavanaugh, J. B. Reboil, A. D. Kearney, A. Gallagher, W. B. Sinclair, J. McHugh, P. Mulvihill. (Continued on Page 4.)

KNIFE FOR ENGLISH PRINCESS.



PRINCESS VICTORIA OF WALES WHO WAS OPERATED UPON TODAY. Victoria, Daughter of King Edward, is a Victim of Appendicitis.

LONDON, January 31.—The Princess Victoria, daughter of King Edward, underwent an operation for appendicitis at Buckingham Palace this morning. The operation was performed by Sir Frederick Treves, surgeon in ordinary to the King. A bulletin subsequently issued says:

"The circumstances of the operation were favorable. The Princess bore it very well and is progressing satisfactorily."

The Princess, who has been ill for some time, came to London January 27 to prepare for the operation. She was born in 1868.

SAY THEY SAW THE ENEMY. J. HOCH LIKED WIDOWS.

Strange Tales Told By Russians in Court. Physician Not Ready to Make a Report Woman's Stomach.

PARIS, Jan. 31.—The Russian officers formerly with Vice-Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron began their testimony before the International Commission inquiring into the North Sea incident today. A large crowd was present and much interest was taken in the proceedings. No oath was required, the officers speaking on their honor.

Captain Wallerond of the transport Kamchatka testified that during the evening while on the lookout for torpedo boats he saw the outlines of a strange craft and heard shots. Thereupon he sent a wireless message to the flagship saying:

"Torpedo boats following us."

Captain Wallerond continued: "We proceeded with lights extinguished. They attacked us from all sides at a distance of about ten cable lengths."

The Kamchatka proceeded but Captain Wallerond did not see any more strange craft, and did not hear any further shots.

Captain Clado of the Admiral's flagship gave a circumstantial recital of seeing (Continued on Page 2.)

CHICAGO, January 31.—Dr. C. W. Lewke, coroner's physician, said today that he would ask for a continuance of the inquest over the body of Mrs. Marie Walcker Hoch, whose death led to the revelation of the much married life of Johann Hoch. The physician has not completed the chemical analysis of the woman's stomach and will ask for more time. "There is a possibility of the analysis amounting to something," said Dr. Lewke. "The chemical analysis when completed ought to settle the question whether the woman died naturally or not. After I finish my work an expert will go over it and will give me a confirmatory report. All this takes time."

Unless the physician finds some trace of poison in the woman's stomach, hope of convicting Hoch of murder will be gone. There will, however, remain many charges of swindling and bigamy on which Hoch will be prosecuted.

It probably will be two weeks before Hoch is brought back to Chicago. Some details of the California end to the history of Hoch were learned by Police Inspector Wheeler today. Mrs. Reichel, widow of a saloonkeeper, says that Hoch paid attentions to her across the country from the Pacific (Continued on Page 2.)

SENATE WILL NOT RETREAT.

Special Committee Will Examine Into Wild Cat Schemes.

SACRAMENTO, January 31.—In the Senate today Ralston of Calaveras presented a resolution providing for the appointment of a special committee of five Senators to investigate the Continental Building & Loan Association and any other investment companies against whom charges of mismanagement have been made.

The following is the resolution: "Whereas, under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California, generally known as the law of corporations, there has been organized and incorporated certain corporations commonly designated as building and loan associations, investment companies and security companies, and

BOGUS CORPORATIONS.

"Whereas, it has come to the attention of this legislature that there are existing in the State of California, certain in said corporations engaged in what is generally called Building and Loan business, investment securities which promise large returns to investors and against which corporation there has been made specific charges of unfair methods of dealing with its stockholders, and it is publicly asserted by a large number of citizens of California that said corporations are carrying on a business which results in a detriment to those who deal with them, and do not conduct a legitimate business, and that the corporation laws of the State are ineffective and do not in specific terms define the duties and prescribe the terms of contracts which said corporations may make, and

"Whereas, it is necessary and proper that this body should be fully advised of the nature and extent of the business of the corporations herein referred to in order that it may properly legislate upon that subject and to enact laws which will control the dealings of said corporations and prescribe proper penalties for the violation of such laws, and

"Whereas, this Senate has in contemplation the enactment of laws that will correct said evils and prescribe proper penalties for the violation of such laws and prevent the consummation of any injustice or wrong done to persons who deal with such corporations; therefore be it

SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

"Resolved, that a special committee of five members of the Senate be appointed for the purpose of investigating the methods of any building and loan association, investment company, security company, or other association, doing business in the State of California, and that said committee be, and it is hereby authorized and empowered to meet at such time and place as it may deem fit and proper, during this session of the legislature, and that it have and is hereby given full power to examine the safes, books, papers and documents belonging to any such corporation, the affairs of which it may desire to investigate, and that it has full power to compel the production of all keys, books, papers and documents by summary process upon application therefor to any court of record or judge thereof in the county wherein such corporations has its said keys, books, papers, and documents. That said committee be empowered to compel the attendance of any and all witnesses residing in this state and that said committee report the result of its investigation to this Senate with all possible dispatch."

MAY PUNISH.

Senator Ralston, in explaining his resolution, said that it had been carefully drawn up and followed the law strictly. He said that if it was passed the committee would have authority to punish for contempt. Senator Carter suggested that there should be a special resolution provid-

NO MOVE IN THE SCANDAL.

Accused Senators Will Be Placed on Trial Tonight.

SACRAMENTO, January 31.—Outside of the introduction of a resolution in the Senate to provide for a new committee to investigate the Continental Building and Loan Association, no legislative action touching on the scandal involving Senators Emmons, Bunkers, French and Wright was taken today.

The charges of bribe taking and blackmail made against the Senators continue the main topic of conversations at the capital.

Excitement runs high and the opening of the investigation of the accused Senators tonight is being eagerly awaited. Corbin has promised that at that time he will disclose the proof of the accusations made in his affidavit.

The Senate this morning adjourned at 11 o'clock after transacting perfunctory business.

The scandal that has shaken the State building to its very foundation has all but demoralized the work of legislation in the upper House, and until the investigation committee makes its report as to the truth or falsity of the charges little legislative work of importance is likely to be initiated.

Thomas V. Carter of San Francisco stated today that he had been retained by Emmons to assist in his defense.

The accused Senator is making an effort to secure George A. Knight as one of his counsel.

OIL REDUCED.

PITTSBURG, January 31.—The Standard Oil Company today reduced the price of all grades of crude oil. A reduction of 3 cents was made on high grades and 2 cents on the lower grades.

For the investigation of each separate company. He was not sure that the committee would have necessary authority under a general resolution.

Sensor Curtin explained the law in the case and said Ralston's resolution was sound and formed on decisions of Supreme Court.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

EXTRA FINE AUCTION SALE

Plano, furniture, carpets, library, etc. By order of George Gray, Public Administrator, and others. We have received instructions to sell the household effects belonging to the estate of William Whitmore deceased, and also those of G. N. Knight and R. E. Graves. Sale at 1007 Clay street, near Tenth, Oakland, Wednesday, February 1, at 10 a. m. Open for inspection on Tuesday. Comprising in part: Several handsome weathered oak pieces, namely: Settee, arm chair, table, labourer, rocker, leather upholstered rocker, writing desk, bookcase, hall rack, sideboard, cost \$110; box dining-chairs and liquor cabinet, extension table, also several odd upholstered parlor pieces, couches, Roman and Morris chairs, parlor tables, golden oak and maple typewriter, sewing machine, baby carriage, cabinets, writing desks, bookcases, about 3000 books, portieres, lace curtains, carpets, large quantity of rugs, several fine table cloth in wool and damask, mahogany dining table, golden oak dining tables and chairs to match, sideboards, china glass and silverware, bedroom suits, iron and brass beds, top mattresses, children's and dressers in maple and golden oak, typewriter, sewing machine, leather trunks, ranges, gas stoves, cooking utensils, etc., etc. All must and will be sold. J. A. MURPHY & CO., Auctioneers. Main office, 1006-7-9 Clay street, Oakland; Tel. Brown 141. 2137 Santa Clara avenue, Alameda; phone Alameda 405. City Building, San Francisco; phone Main 5132.

CONSTABLE AUCTION.

On Wednesday, February 1, at 10:30 a. m., at 278 Fourth street, near Franklin all the stock and fixtures, tools, sewing machine of the harness and saddlery store at above address, comprising in part: New double and single driving and work harnesses, bridles, halters, whips, collars, harnesses, bridles, halters, whips, collars, etc.; heavy tops, work bench, etc.; also three bugles, etc. J. A. MURPHY & CO., Auctioneers. MORRIS LANE Constable.

JAPS TAKE ADVANTAGE OF RUSSIA'S PLIGHT.

Hundreds of Wounded Men Are Being Brought Into Mukden — Poland Storm Center.

The storm center of the Russian labor disturbances now seems to be Poland, where the situation is reported in today's dispatches as being increasingly serious.

Minor collisions between the police and the populace are frequent in Warsaw, where the number of killed is estimated to be about 100. The mobs are pillaging shops and all industrial concerns are closed. Semi-official reports received in Paris regarding the several conditions in Russian are described as unfavorable.

The Associated Press correspondent in St. Petersburg cables that Maxim Gorky, the author and reform leader, who is under arrest, is in no danger. It is expected that he will be released in a few weeks.

The Japanese are taking advantage of Russia's internal troubles by means of letters thrown into the Russian lines and are endeavoring to dishearten the troops.

No additional details of the fight along the Shkobe river are at hand but today's despatches make it clear that the Russian attempted advance resulted in failure. Tokyo reports that according to official advices the Russians have left 1200 dead on the field since January 25.

MANY ARE DEAD ON THE FIELD

LONDON, January 31, 2:15 p. m.—A dispatch to the Japanese legation from Tokyo, dated today, says Field Marshal Oyama reports that the Russians have left 1200 dead on the field since January 25.

BRITISH VESSEL IS CAPTURED

TOKIO, January 31.—The Japanese yesterday captured off Hokkaido Island, Northern Japan, the British steamer Wyfield, loaded with contraband for Vladivostok.

The steamer Wyfield, Captain Watson (R. D. Rithel & Co., Ltd.) of Vancouver 30, for Comox. She arrived there January 2 and left that port January 5 for Moji.

The Wyfield is owned by J. H. Lawson (R. P. Rithel & Co., Ltd.) of Victoria, B. C.

COLD PREVENTS AN ADVANCE

ST. PETERSBURG, January 31.—The Associated Press telegrams from Manchuria do not indicate developments of importance since General Gripenko's order to abandon the advance. The Japanese yesterday made a demonstration in the Eastern district, but apparently it was not serious.

The operations on the Russian front will probably not occasion further fighting at present unless the Japanese determine to follow up their counter-offensive movement, which is not likely in view of the dispatches from Mukden, saying the cold is more intense, thus rendering the movements of large bodies on either side well nigh impossible.

One result of the bitter cold has been to greatly increase the mortality among the wounded. Military critics do not express approval of General Kuropatkin's offensive movement, the Novoe Vremya declaring it was a failure and the Russ saying it was neither a reconnaissance in force nor a demonstration, hence it could have been undertaken only to capture a strategic point, and this object was not justified by events.

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JAPANESE MADE A SHARP MOVE

MUKDEN, Monday, January 30.—(Delayed in transmission.)—This morning the Japanese advanced on the Russian line in the cavalry screen and bombarded the outlying hills. The Russians moved up reinforcements, repulsed the Japanese and drove them out of a village they had occupied.

WOUNDED MEN AT MUKDEN

MUKDEN, January 30.—(Delayed in transmission.)—Constant streams of wounded men are arriving here from the right bank, including Lieutenant General Mischenko, who is in excellent spirits and is receiving visitors. According to the official army organ, the wounded number 3500. The cold is intense and the condition of the wounded causes the greatest anxiety, because the exposure of their wounds to the frost induces gangrene. Preventative precautions have been taken, but the wounded are suffering the greatest pain.

The Japanese are taking good care to see that the Russian rank and file are not left uninformed regarding the disturbances in Russia. They are carrying on a regular campaign to spread sedition and discouragement among the troops. Letters are daily thrown into the Russian lines declaring that all Russia is aflame with riot and revolt, arguing that the soldiers are shedding their blood in vain and calling on them to surrender or desert.

The soldiers eagerly read and discuss these communications, especially accounts of the events at St. Petersburg January 22. The sincere hope is expressed on all sides that the Russian nation will force internal differences and not play into the hands of the Japanese.

SAY THEY SAW THE ENEMY

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two torpedo boats. He said:

"I first saw a strange craft through my night-glass and then the searchlights convinced us that it was a torpedo boat. At the same time the signal officer reported another boat which almost collided with us. We maneuvered to avoid a collision and escape the torpedo which might be discharged. The searchlights then disclosed a torpedo boat immediately in front of the flagship about fifteen cable lengths away. We saw this one much better than the other, as the searchlight lighted it up. The torpedo boats gradually drew off. At first we could distinguish only their bows but we afterwards saw them completely. The first boat disappeared after three or four minutes. The second was visible much longer."

STRIKERS GO BACK TO WORK

CHICAGO, January 31.—Two hundred of the 900 lumber wagon drivers on strike returned to work today in factories where agreements had been signed with the union. Picketing was actively conducted at seventy large lumber yards where the strike is still on.

GRAND JURY MAY INDICT

Cases of Accused Senators Will be Taken Up.

SACRAMENTO, January 31.—It was given out from an authoritative source today that District Attorney A. M. Seymour of Sacramento County is investigating the scandal surrounding the four State Senators with the view of securing evidence on which to base indictments against the accused men.

Color was given to this statement by the fact that Attorney Seymour left for San Francisco early this morning. The affidavits and alleged evidence against the Senators are in the metropolitan but will be brought here to-night for the inquiry.

AN ACTRESS IS BURNED.

RAN THROUGH THE THEATER LIKE A HUMAN TORCH.

CINCINNATI, January 31.—As the audience in a local theater awaited the appearance of Mamie Hayburn, a concert singer, she rushed out of her dressing room a living torch, and ran screaming through the theater. Several men threw coats over her and a pail of water finally put out the flames, but the singer, burned from head to feet and suffering horribly, is lying in a hospital to-day. Only the prompt action by men in the theater prevented a dangerous panic.

PRINCE HAS A RESTLESS NIGHT

POTSDAM, January 31.—The physicians in attendance upon Prince Eitel Friedrich issued the following bulletin this morning:

"During the first half of the night the Prince was restless on account of the pain and difficulty in breathing. He slept five hours after midnight. Temperature 101; pulse 70. The inflammation of the right lung is diminishing. The left lung is unchanged. Coughing and irritation normal, but the patient is weak after the coughing spells."

ROOSEVELT IS IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, January 31.—President Roosevelt and party returned to Washington from Philadelphia this morning. At 7:40 a. m. the President left the train and was driven directly to the White House, where he breakfasted with his family.

BRITISH VESSEL IS ASHORE

AMSTERDAM, January 31.—The British steamer Alba, from Newport News January 11 for Amsterdam, is ashore at Zandvoort. She is in an extremely critical position. Seas are sweeping over her. Endeavors are being made to save the crew by lifeboats.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES.

Obtains \$50,000 on worthless bonds.

BUFFALO, January 31.—Arthur E. Applegate has been indicted by the Supreme Court Grand Jury on a charge of grand larceny in having obtained from the German Bank \$50,000 on bonds now alleged to be worthless.

POLICE COURT FINES.—During the month of January there was imposed in fines \$1530 in department one of the Police Court, presided over by Judge Smith. Of this amount, \$1100 was collected. Clerk William J. Hennessey has deposited \$500 of this sum with the City Treasurer and \$510 with the County Treasurer.

Are you troubled with restless nights and bad dreams? Is there a bitter taste in your mouth when you awake? That is a bilious headache, WRIGHT'S PAIN-EXPELLER CURE will relieve it. Tablet or Wafer form. Try it. All druggists keep it.

BOMB THROWERS ARRESTED

Explosive Wounds Republican Guards and Civilians.

PARIS, January 31.—Eighteen arrests have been made here in connection with the throwing of a bomb at a group of police and Republican guards after the meeting of the Socialist Revolutionary last night. Twelve of the suspects have been arrested and the others are held on suspicion. The two injured Republican guards are progressing favorably. The condition of the three wounded civilians is not dangerous.

An analysis made at the municipal laboratory shows that the bomb deposited on the doorstep of the residence of Prince Troubetzkoy of the Russian Embassy yesterday was highly explosive.

Special police surveillance has been established over the Russian Embassy. A police judge has begun the examination of the persons suspected of throwing the bomb last night.

J. HOCH LIKED WIDOWS

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coast. According to Inspector Wheeler, Mrs. Reichel has known Hoch as John Hoeck for the last five years. When shown a picture of the man today the woman identified it as that of the man who courted her in 1904. Three letters, dated San Francisco Feb. 12, 15, and 18, 1904, written in German, were given to the police and translated. On the reverse side of one of the envelopes is written: "If not delivered in ten days return to John Hoeck, 1104 Clay St., San Francisco." The letters were written by Hoch while in the California city and speak of the writer's love for the widow.

HOCH IN PRISON.

NEW YORK, January 31.—John Hoch of Chicago, who was arrested here last night charged with bigamy and wife abandonment, after a search extending over the entire country, told the officials at police headquarters this morning that he is anxious to return to Chicago at once. He wanted to face the charges against him in that city, he said, and has no intention of opposing extradition.

Hoch was photographed for the rogues' gallery before being taken to court. When Hoch was arraigned in police court he was remanded back to police headquarters for 48 hours. As the prisoner was leaving the court room he said:

"Yes, I am the man wanted in Chicago, but they are mistaken as to the charges. I am wanted for some trouble I had with my sister-in-law about some furniture."

MOTHER WANTS HER CHILDREN

Mrs. Katie Deindonne, a professional nurse, residing in an action of divorce brought against her by Victor Diagonne on the ground of desertion filed a cross-complaint to his story this morning that the only reason she had left her husband was on account of his treatment of her. She has also filed an application for the custody of their two children of whom she states her husband had had the charge for some time as she has to earn her own living by nursing. She says that her husband has left the children in charge of his sister who makes her visits very disagreeable for her and now she wants them herself.

HORSE KILLED BY LIVE WIRE

A horse belonging to Newhall, the produce man, was killed this afternoon at Twenty-eighth and Adeline streets by coming in contact with a live wire. The driver, P. Daniel, states that the horse after stepping on the wire, died within sixty seconds.

BOWDEN BEATS FORMER RECORD

ORMOND, Fla., January 31.—W. H. Bowlen, in an attempt to beat the world's automobile record to-day, covered a mile in 32:4.5 seconds, cutting down his previous record of 34:1.5.

COUNTY VAULT.—The Grand Jury held a short session this morning and discussed the question of a vault for the safe keeping of the county money with County Treasurer Felder. The vault is not what it is desired to have it; being somewhat small and it is probable that a recommendation will be made by the Grand Jury that one be erected at a cost not to exceed a few thousand dollars.

DEATH OF MRS. KLEIN.—Mrs. Minnie Klein, aged 59, a native of Germany, died last night at her residence, 117 San Pablo avenue. She leaves three children. The funeral will be held tomorrow from the residence of the family.

BEEF TRUST MUST OBEY THE LAW

Government Will Sue If Corporations Do Not Heed Injunctions.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—It can be said by authority that unless the corporations constituting the alleged "Beef Trust" shall heed the injunction made permanent yesterday by the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, the government will institute proceedings against the individual members of the corporations to enforce the decision of the court.

The proceedings will be under the criminal law, if such can be instituted. The minds of the President and members of his Cabinet are made up fully on the question. They have determined that the "Beef Trust" shall obey the law, and now that the highest court in the United States has upheld the hands of the administration it is said they will permit no further "dilly dallying" with the subject.

At today's Cabinet meeting the President and Attorney-General Moody shared in the congratulations of the members of the Cabinet on the result of the "Beef Trust" case before the Supreme Court. The President, who made no attempt to conceal his satisfaction at the decision of the court, united with the members of the Cabinet in congratulating the Attorney-General. The subject was considered briefly at the meeting, but no definite conclusion was reached as to what action, if any, the government would take in the future, except the general determination to enforce the law as it had been construed by the courts. The President and the members of the Cabinet regard the decision of the Supreme Court as a signal triumph of law as they have viewed it and are prepared to carry it into effect absolutely.

GAMBLING HOUSE INVADDED.

MARSHALS BREAK UP FAN TAN GAME AT BERKELEY RESORT.

BERKELEY, January 31.—With axes procured from the grocery store at Fifth and Myrtle streets, was arrested last night on the complaint of his wife by Policeman Scanlan on the charge of being insane. Griddley is thought to have delirium tremens. The wife states she was afraid of her husband last night, and after doing everything she could to pacify her husband she called in a police officer. Mrs. Griddley says her husband acted so violently that she believed her life to be in constant danger. City Physician C. Adelberg will make an examination of the arrested carpenter to determine whether he is suffering from an overdose of liquor or whether his mind is unhinged.

Disturbed the Peace.—W. P. Boscelco was arrested last night by Policeman Scanlan at Seventh and Market street for disturbing the peace. The charge was preferred by J. J. McElroy.

Winter Winds.—On hands and face produce the same results as an ax on the bark of a tree. ROSE AND CUCUMBER JELLY (GIL ROSE CREAM) gently softens and soothes the chapped skin, removes redness and roughness, eradicates wrinkles, destroys blackheads. It is not sticky. Try it. Sold by all druggists, 25 cents.

SLAVIN HAS A WHEAT BILL

SACRAMENTO, January 31.—A bill regulating the selling of stock in wheat, barley, oats, and other cereals, and to prohibit thereof on margin or for future delivery, was introduced in the House this morning by Slavin of San Benito. According to the terms of the measure, all contracts for the sale of stock in cereals, to be delivered at a future day shall be void, and money paid upon such contracts may be recovered by the party paying it by suit in any court of competent jurisdiction.

MONITOR WYOMING AT MARE ISLAND

VALLEJO, January 31.—The monitor Wyoming arrived at the Mare Island navy yard today. After taking on stores and ammunition she will proceed to San Diego to join the Pacific fleet which is going to Magdalena bay for target practice.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box, 25c.

CAMPBELL'S TRIAL CONTINUES.

MAN WHO KILLED HIS WIFE IS FIGHTING HARD FOR HIS LIFE.

The argument left unfinished yesterday afternoon by Attorney A. L. Frick in behalf of Laurence D. Campbell on trial for the murder of his wife was continued this morning and at noon he had not finished. He has spent a whole day in argument and it is not likely that the case will be submitted to the jury before late tomorrow. An exhaustive and searching analysis of the testimony is being made by Frick, who is comparing the testimony of the different witnesses and working over the whole mass of evidence to fit his theory of the case. After he closes he will be followed by District Attorney Allen, who has yet to make the closing argument for the people.

The final talks before the men who are to sit in judgment on the case has filled the courtroom for the past two days. Much interest has been manifested in the proceedings and an advantageous seat is at a premium. The learned counsel for the young man is endeavoring to show by the evidence inherent in the testimony given by the various witnesses that Campbell was not himself nor in his right mind when he went to the home of his wife and shot her. Attorney Frick has gone over the ground step by step through the events of the lives of the couple for a year prior to the commission of the homicide, showing the acts of his wife and their influence upon his mind, and finally he killed her.

Frick stated this morning that he expected to be through by noon to-day but when that hour arrived he had not yet completed his work and court adjourned with the argument yet unfinished and he will proceed with it this afternoon.

WAS AFRAID OF HER LIFE.

WIFE SPENDS NIGHT IN FEAR OF HER HUSBAND.

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LARGE LOSS BY A FIRE

CAMDEN, N. J., January 31.—Fire in the plant of the Victor Talking Machine Company to-day caused a loss estimated at \$60,000. There were fifty girls in the building when the fire broke out. They became panic stricken and many fainted but all were rescued uninjured.

REVOLUTIONISTS.

It is feared that a large proportion of these thousands may be utilized by the revolutionary organizations in Poland, which is the hotbed of socialism, and the movement may develop a purely political character, though there is no indication so far of any co-operation on the part of the intelligent classes of the Polish population, which are averse to a revolutionary movement.

The Nashashizn, a liberal newspaper of St. Petersburg, which has received a second warning from Governor-General Trepoft, in a moderate tone, raises the legal point in connection with the firing of January 22, that the law requires the police to exhaust all means to preserve order before calling on the troops, and the paper says that this was not done before the military began firing.

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BATTLE WITH THE TROOPS.

Several People Are Killed in Encounters at Warsaw.

WARSAW, January 31.—Several persons were killed and many were injured in encounters with the troops and police in various parts of this city yesterday.

The first aid society has suspended operations, telephonic communication is interrupted and the conditions throughout Warsaw are such that it has been impossible thus far to ascertain the number of victims.

By order of the chief of police the doors of houses were kept closed and are only opened to admit people living on the premises.

Two additional regiments of infantry and two regiments of dragoons have arrived here.

SITUATION SERIOUS.

ST. PETERSBURG, January 31, 2:40 p. m.—The latest reports from Warsaw depict the situation there and throughout Poland as increasingly serious. Minor collisions between the troops and police and the populace continue to swell the number of dead. Trade and industry are completely at a standstill and the presence of thousands of idle workmen who have been out of employment for months and are starving and desperate adds a factor of the greatest danger, which is not present to the same extent in St. Petersburg, where the government's orders for war purposes have kept the factories busy.

STORES PILLAGED.

The American vice-consul at Warsaw, Witold Fouchas, telegraphs that many stores, chiefly Russian, have been pillaged by Russians and that the shops and factories without exception are closed. "A general strike is in effect. Those who are not willing to walk out are compelled to join the strike by threats."

Mr. Fouchas saw no improvement in the situation up to last night and reported the receipt of bad news from Lodz and Radom.

MANY KILLED.

It is estimated that the number of killed or wounded at Warsaw is about 100, which is a conservative estimate. The rioting in Poland will largely affect the economic situation. The factories at Warsaw, Lodz, Petrokoff and other industrial centers in Poland have been compelled to gradually reduce their output and decrease their working forces since the outbreak of the war, which has almost entirely closed the Siberian and Manchurian markets. The result has been that thousands of workmen have been thrown out of employment for many months, furnishing a horde of hungry, dissatisfied, desperate men, among whom the news from St. Petersburg produced an outburst of riotous and incendiary spirits.

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In ordering 35 carloads or 500 pianos at once the saving in freight alone amounts to \$14,000. First, we ship by the "harness" method. That is, we bind the pianos into the care of a padded harness. In this way we use no boxes for shipping. (It costs \$3.50 freight for every piano box alone.) The "harness" method gives us four more pianos to every car—that means almost one-fourth of the pianos are shipped free. The freight reduction on that quantity has not yet been considered—nor the retailers' profits, and expenses, which alone run from \$50 to \$100 on each piano.

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To every man and woman sometime comes an opportunity. But it seldom comes twice. Every home hopes some time to have a piano and almost every home puts it off. Don't let this chance go by. Come in and ask questions or write to us. Investigate it, but do not let it pass.

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Mrs. Walker Claims That John Wilds is Her Husband.

John, Wlids, for twenty years janitor of the City Hall and respected for the same number of years by half as many Councils, has been pursued by a woman, who gives her name as Mary Walker and who says that John is her husband. The case of mistaken identity or duplicity finally reached the Police Department and Detective Shorrey was detailed on the case. He was instructed to call at 26 Telegraph avenue where the lady who claims the janitor as her husband resides.

Detective Shorey called yesterday afternoon. He rapped on the door. He heard a "come in" but it happened that a parrot inside gave the invitation. He came in, he saw the parrot, he was gazing out the window very intently on the postoffice. When the ladies who had not heard the parrot say "come in," or Detective Shorey's knock, saw that a man was in, they were somewhat awestruck with fright. The detective explained his mission and Mrs. Walker who is slightly deaf was only too glad to explain her troubles.

"I had been married," she went away to Alaska several years ago. I heard from him at intervals and believe that he made a fortune. Lately he has been in Oakland, but has avoided me, why I do not know. He has a new wife, a devoted wife and was very much in love with him. It has caused me a great deal of worry to think that he did not want to see me. I have met him several times. He always tells me and that pains me. I ran right across him once and tried to throw my arms about him. He got on his wheel and rode rapidly away.

"Why that is John Wilds," said Shorey, the stern detective, laughing.

to the first time in many years. "That is our janitor at the City Hall," continued the man, "and I laugh so hard at that hearily that I spit out Wilds. As the woman was certain that it was her husband Shorey made a bolt for the door and intercepted Wilds. "You wily old rascal, why do you not come to your wife?" asked Shorey, forgetting his professional duty as detective sufficiently long to crack a joke. "Come with me home I want you." The man then took his good-looking wife several blocks to her home. "Good night," replied the man. Shorey, however, dragged Wilds up stairs and thrust him into Mrs. Wanker's room. The woman made one wild dash for the frightened janitor.

"Go away from me woman, I am a married man," said the janitor. "I am your husband."

The woman was reluctant to let go her long lost husband, as she thought, but she was finally satisfied that the man she had been trailing for months was not her husband.

Now there is a little history connected with John Wilds' life. He is on the wrinkles of his face. This does not show on the surface and he looks fully fifteen years younger. He is handsome at that but it so happens that John was born in slavery in the South and was one of those set free by the War of the Rebellion.

He modestly acknowledges that he is a "smoked Irishman" and is proud of the colored blood in his veins. He is also the editor of "Sunshine," the powerful colored organ of this city.

I told my wife that there was a white crowd, and that she would not let me alone, and that she was with an expansive smile. "My wife thought I was fooling I guess," I just what the real Mr. Walker will

say when he returns is a question.

THE PRIMARIES.

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H. W. Roessner, Peter Fugel, Park J. Morrison, M. E. Manning, Harvey Kennedy, H. H. Ellison, George Deolan, Joseph Jones, W. W. Sims.

Second Ward—E. L. Blair, E. W. Eambs, P. H. Danke, J. J. Stephens, C. W. Prosser, W. E. Edwards, J. V. Whalen, D. P. Sullivan, Edward Coughlin, L. V. Freitas, J. Benter, J. Levier, William Warren, J. P. Burke, J. W. Fernandes, T. J. Williams, E. E. Graser, S. Stoenen.

Third Ward—W. Raymond, T. C. de Villiers, M. J. Keegan, J. S. Suter, Charles E. Frank, Lawrence Hyde, A. W. Blakeley, T. H. Keating, Frank Cordono, P. J. Prosser, F. W. Haug, J. J. Reaney, D. D. Britton, F. C. Carlson, C. J. Twomey, Robert West.

Fourth Ward—W. Hanover, P. Higgins, J. H. an Buskirk, J. A. Rogers, W. J. Higgins, E. P. Edwards, J. W. Kidwell, William Urey, J. A. Vickers, W. H. Smith.

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 Boeckel, William Rumbold, H. H. Van
 Brackel, James C. Campbell, C. Ambrose
 Brackel, James C. Ballard, W. D. We
 kins.
 Sixth Ward—Thomas J. Hopkins, C. D.
 Rodgers, Thomas Gallagher, C. O'Neill,
 John Haddock, Frank Higgins, S. E.
 Woodcock, L. H. Leiter, J. Dignan, J. F.
 Kelly, Howard Baird, H. D. Viers, C. J.
 Christensen, A. Kearney, P. F. Barbour,
 J. C. Lucas, S. E. Lutz, J. E. Lutz, J. E.
 Mah McCauley, James English, Morris
 A. Burke, George O'Brien, Nell Mc
 Fitzgerald, John H. Heaney, William O'Neill,
 William P. Ward, John J. Lyons, S. E.
 Fitzgerald, Neil D. Ryan, William Joseph,
 Charles Lockren.
 Seventh Ward—C. S. Grandle, George
 Lankam, W. W. Ward, C. S. Thilson,
 George Baker, Charles M. Fox, James D.
 Rothe, P. W. Wuthe, W. F. King, A. M.
 Cordon, Thomas Caine, A. McMahon, L.
 E. Adams, Manuel Jordan, J. F. Neuge, L.
 J. Neuge, L. J. Neuge, L. J. Neuge, L. J.

PROHIBITION.

The Prohibition delegates are as follows:

First Ward—J. C. Willis, James P. Hays, R. R. Bird, W. M. Lough, E. F. Austin.

Second Ward—Charles Knight, E. F. Bauder, George Meracle, T. H. Montgomery, Robert Robertson, J. H. Hays.

Third Ward—Harold Meade, Allen Shorkley, A. J. Gustafson, A. B. Tynston, Joseph Humphreys, Mr. Chapman, H. Tynston.

Fourth Ward—J. F. Lynas, W. R. Earl, C. R. McDonald, S. T. Allen, O. C. Mitchell, J. W. Phillips.

Fifth Ward—T. Decker, Joseph Hadenaker, J. E. Robbins, William G. Hedinger.

Sixth Ward—Marion Knudsen, John Sanderson, Leonard Clark, William Bosco.

Seventh Ward—R. P. Bull, H. Pascoe.

William Van Osdel, A. H. Southwick, J. E. Nicholas.

*** SOCIALISTS.**

Socialist delegates are as follows:

First Ward—John Henriksen, A. N. Denison, O. H. Philbrick, E. C. Straub, W. Strohbach, R. Vincent, H. G. Walker, W. M. Bartlett, William Serb, J. W.

O'Connor, Thomas Handley.
 Second Ward—Theodore Radke, H. V. Stevens, J. H. G. Gory.
 T. Lake, C. H. Harris, J. H. Eustice, F. E. Reynolds, C. H. Bradley.
 Third Ward—J. H. Smith, A. Osborn, S. C. Horne, A. Cedergren, Archibald Wilson, E. F. Lee, J. A. Smith, F. E. Hatch.
 Fourth Ward—C. F. Gibson, C. J. Symmes, J. W. Radcliff, A. E. Packer, R. J. Riley, L. D. Matthews, O. F. Blair, J. H. Meade, John M. Laund, William Phillips.
 Fifth Ward—J. J. McGowan, P. Eddies, E. F. Dowd, C. Renken, W. D. Scott, W. Sawyer.
 Sixth Ward—H. C. Tuck, G. W. Starkey, M. Lesser, N. F. Noyes, E. Stebbins, C. J. Gaudin, J. C. O. Stocking, Peter Skorum, H. E. Stocking, W. E. LeVick, M. F. Yoe, A. V. H. Gough.
 Seventh Ward—Austin Lewis, L. Newquist, P. Looftbourrow, Walter Hussey, H. A. Kietzner, A. A. H. Smith, R. R. S Snowden, N. P. Skytte, R. J. Moore.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES:

The following marriage licenses were issued at St. George's Rectory:
 George Thompson, San Francisco, 52
 Agnes MacDonald, Alameda, 52

GIRL TAKES A BUGGY.

YOUNG MISS OF THIRTEEN HAS
GOOD TIME IN A BOR-
ROWED SIO

Emily McKinnon, a young girl of thirteen summers, is again having a good time at the expense of Frank Baker, proprietor of the City Hall Livery Stables. The young miss called at the stables yesterday, told a plausible story, and secured a rig. Since then she has not put in an appearance, and the police have been requested to make a search for her. This is not the first time that the pretty young miss has taken undue liberties with other people's rigs. On several occasions she has been seen driving in a similar manner. She always brings the team and rig back but her effort to be accounted a young lady of fashion have proved annoying to the livery stable owners and police.

It is thought that the young lady will return the rig intact this time but the police may accelerate her movements.

She resides with her parents at Eighth and Elm streets.

BALAGNO FORFEITS HIS BAIL MONEY

Charles Balagno of 1371, Thirteenth street, accused of having violated the liquor license ordinance, forfeited \$50 bail this morning in preference to standing trial. He was accused of selling jug

of wine to Italian neighbors.

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Sale **Makes La**
Now On **To**
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Great American
Our 100 Stores H

HUSSEY VOTES AT PRIMARY.

SECURES RELEASE FROM JAIL BY
COURTESY OF THE
JUDGE

Patrick Hussey said that he had only taken two glasses of wine in two months and could not account for being arrested last night for drunkenness. He was before Police Judge Smith.

"I am at loss to understand how you could get drunk on a small potation like that," said his Honor. "In fact, I do not believe you. Where do you live?"

"In the Sixth Ward."

"Hum," said his Honor, "things are pretty warm here. You may go, and I don't care how you vote."

G. W. Wannamacher, another Sixth Ward arrested for inebriety, was not so fortunate. He was arrested for being more than ordinarily intoxicated. In fact, he was not well enough to be brought into the Police Court with safety this morn-

"A good vote lost," said Police Court Clerk William Jennings Hennessey.

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THE WEATHER.

CHICAGO, January 31.—Temperatures at 7 a. m.:

New York and Philadelphia 16, Boston 10, Washington 8, Chicago 16, Minneapolis 12 below, Cincinnati and St. Louis 24.

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Come Early
Help Us to Help You

TALKED TO THE UNION MEN.

REV. WALKLEY, M. J. KELLER
AND BEN PENDLETON
SPEAK

The Central Labor Council held a very interesting meeting last evening. A committee, consisting of the Rev. Charles T. Walkey of St. Paul's Church, Mr. J. Keller and Mr. Pendleton, appeared at the meeting.

Mr. Walkey spoke with reference to the usage of the union label and recommended that all people use it as much as they possibly could and call for it wherever possible, stating that in his own life experience, particularly throughout the East, he found that the same stood for better conditions of the laboring classes.

Mr. Keller spoke upon the general industrial conditions of Oakland at present and said that he believed that the working people were entitled to a proper standard of living.

Mr. Pendleton spoke upon the doings of the Associated Charities, enumerating many cases that he had taken care of during his service, assuring the audience that the doings of the Associated Charities. A general good feeling existed between all present at the meeting.

DEATH OF ANTOINE NELLER.

Antoine Neller, a native of Germany, aged seventy-one years, died Sunday in San Francisco. He had been an inmate of the German Old Peoples' Home in this city. The funeral will be held to-day. He leaves a brother, Leopold Neller.

THIS IS THE WINTER ROUTE EAST.

You can buy tickets as cheaply via the Sunset-Piedmont Air Line, through the Old South to New England, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, as well as all Eastern points; in through newest style tourist cars to Washington, D. C., personally conducted, passing through Southern California, El Paso, New Orleans, Mobile, Atlanta. Observation drawing-room sleepers and dining cars. A pleasure to tell or write you about this line. Call on W. G. F. Ferguson, District Passenger Agent, Southern Pacific Co., 12 San Pablo avenue, or write Phil K. Gordon, 633 Market street, San Francisco, for folder and full information.

IMPORTANT TRAIN CHANCES

On account of withdrawal of ferryboat
"Scissors" for needed repairs

Vallejo, Napa Junction and Suisun, then change going into effect February 15. This will make new leaving time 8:30 a. m. via Martinez and Lodi, leaving San Francisco 9 a. m. via Martinez and Stockton; Atlantic Express leaving 7:30 a. m. via Martinez and Stockton; Reno Passenger leaving 8:00 a. m. via Niles and Stockton; Oregon Express leaving 7:00 p. m. via Martinez and Stockton; Shasta Express leaving 7:30 a. m. via Niles and Stockton. One of the Sacramento Locals will have new leaving time, Train No. 10 leaving 7:30 p. m. instead of 8:30 p. m. All swing trains from Suisun will stop at service to Benicia.

Simultaneous with above changes will be a new and improved service between Vallejo and Vallejo, being run daily.

TWO MORE EXCURSIONS TO GRAND CANYON.

On February 11 and 22 the Santa Fe will run two more popular excursions to the Grand Canyon. The Grand Canyon has been pronounced by those who have been fortunate enough to visit it as the greatest wonder on earth. It is 217 miles long, over a mile deep, thirteen miles wide and topped by a flower. The new hotel, El Tovar, is now open to receive guests. For full particulars call or write to J. J. Warratt, Agent, 1112 Broadway, phone Main 425.

FAVORITE FUEL.

Teala Bricquettes More Popular Than Ever.

Extreme cleanliness and great efficiency have made Teala Bricquettes popular with thousands. They are the business country's favorite brand.

COMPLICATIONS BETWEEN ENGLAND AND RUSSIA.

Great Britain Wants Explanation of Attack on Representative —The Strike.

ST. PETERSBURG, January 30.—New complications between Great Britain and Russia are feared on account of the attack on the British Consul and Vice-Consul at Warsaw Saturday night.

Coming on the heels of the placards posted by Assistant Chief of Police Roudneff at Moscow, charging Great Britain with inciting the revolution in Russia, the Warsaw incident is likely to arouse an outburst in Great Britain which may again strain relations between the two countries.

Beyond the fact of the attack at Warsaw resulting in the wounding of the British Vice-Consul, who is now in a hospital, the British embassy here has no details of the affair but Sir Charles Hardinge, the British ambassador, has already delivered a note to Foreign Minister Lamsdorff asking for an immediate investigation and explanation, reserving any claims which may be hereafter made, and at the same time asking for the protection of British Consuls throughout the Empire.

By the first train he also dispatched Major Napier, the British military attaché, to Warsaw to secure a full report on the circumstances.

Count Lamsdorff replied to Ambassador Hardinge's second note on the subject of the Moscow placards by saying that instructions had been sent to remove all traces of the placards from the streets.

It is now learned, however, that similar notices had been posted at Libau and Reval which led to a renewal of representations on this score.

In this connection the appearance of the proclamation of the Holy Synod instructing the orthodox priests to inform their parishioners that the strike and revolu-

tionary movements were promoted by the external as well as internal enemies of Russia with the object of embarrassing the military and naval plans has created something of a flurry among foreigners here, especially the British, who believe that the object is to incite hostilities.

No further action, however, has been taken either by Ambassador Hardinge or the other foreign representatives.

Private advices from Warsaw say the authorities there have already taken over charge of the water works, electric light and gas plants and that serious trouble is anticipated.

STRIKE SEEMS DEAD

ST. PETERSBURG, January 30, 12:28 p. m.—Most of the factories and mills of St. Petersburg are in operation today and the strike to all intents and purposes is ended. A few large establishments have not yet fully resumed operations owing to the official formalities necessary in registering their thousands of employees.

Some of the workmen at the Putiloff works, where the strike originated, have asked for the celebration of a religious service by the Metropolitan of St. Petersburg before resuming work, "so as to remove the effect of the presence of the unfrocked priest and excommunicated leader," Father Gopon. Some social democrats are protesting against the arrests on Friday and Saturday on the ground that the action was in violation of the implied promise contained in the proclamation of the authorities.

The Manufacturer's association will meet this week to decide the question of paying the wages of the strikers for the time the latter were not at work but as a number of the works have already paid their unskilled laborers whose pay day was January 28 half or full time, the rest of the employers will probably decide to pay their workmen at least part of their wages for the time they were on strike.

RUSSIAN ADVANCE FAILS.

Hundreds of Soldiers Fall Before Fierce Fire.

RUSSIAN HEADQUARTERS, Huan Mountain, Sunday, Jan. 29. (Delayed in transmission.)—The object of General Kuropatkin's latest offensive movement was to capture the important position at Sandepas, on the left bank of the Huan River and thereby outflank the Japanese from the Shakhe River and enable the Russian army to undertake a general advance.

At Sandepas the Japanese occupied a strongly fortified position, commanding the triangle formed by the confluence of the Huan and Shakhe rivers. The Japanese had erected a fort of a permanent type with triple earthworks and trenches extending in a southwesterly direction. Several villages to the northeast were also fortified.

The positions were held by twelve battalions of Japanese partly drawn from General Nogai's army and partly reserves.

The Russians carried the first line of entrenchments, but were unable to maintain their position on the outskirts of Sandepas, in the face of fierce cannonading.

The fighting was transferred Westward.

The Japanese center attacked with a brigade of infantry endeavoring to envelop the Russians but the cavalry protecting the Russian flank drove back the Japanese with heavy losses. A counter attack on the villages captured by the Russians at the outset of the fight was also beaten off, but at the cost to the Russians of several thousands killed or wounded, including General Miroshenko, who was wounded in the knees. The heaviest sufferers were the newly arrived brigade of riflemen.

The official report of the fighting at Hounlitzday and Huguandao, January 25 and January 26, says there were forty-five officers and 1,050 men. A hundred Japanese prisoners have arrived here. They belonged to the Ninth Division before Port Arthur.

The wounded are suffering from the cold, which is increasing.

ADVANCE FAILS

ST. PETERSBURG, January 30 (8:30 p. m.)—The Russian advance movement against the Japanese left has failed and General Grippenberg has notified the Emperor he has discontinued the offensive. General Miroshenko and General Konradovich, while not seriously injured, have been obliged to relinquish their commands. The War Office gives no estimate of the Russian losses, but they are believed to be heavy.

JAPS ATTACK

GENERAL OKU'S HEADQUARTERS, January 29 (noon), via Fusan.—(Delayed in transmission.)—Yesterday (Saturday) afternoon the Japanese began a fierce bombardment with artillery and musketry along the whole line. The firing was kept up until midnight and was resumed at dawn today, continuing until noon. The Russian reply was feeble.

A movement of the Japanese left wing for the purpose of surrounding and cutting off the Russians in the neighborhood of Pokowtal is progressing slowly, as the resistance is stubborn.

Should the Russian force be cut off it will result in leaving General Kuropatkin's right flank unprotected.

PACIFIC SQUADRON IS EXPECTED

SAN DIEGO, January 30.—The Pacific squadron, under command of Admiral Goodrich, left Acapulco on Saturday and is expected to reach this port on February 3. The squadron at present consists of the battleship Oregon, the monitor Albatross, and the gunboat Albatross. In a telegram that he will bring all the vessels into San Diego harbor.

A. H. BREED IS IN SACRAMENTO

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 30.—A. H. Breed of Oakland is here to give the value of Syndicate properties.

BURGED OF CONTEMPT

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 30.—The contempt proceedings brought against J. Dingee by Mrs. Jeanne D. Center have been dismissed by Judge Kerrigan. The affidavit was found to be defective by the Judge.

STRIKE AT WARSAW

WARSAW, Russian Poland, Jan. 30.—The streets have been quiet since yesterday evening but the strike continues in full swing. All places of business are closed.

A proclamation has been issued declaring that the condition of the city requires additional protective measures without differentiating between those who are forced out against their will and those who are precipitating the strike. The men, it is added, must return to work unconditionally.

BATTLESHIP AT SAN FRANCISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, January 30.—The U. S. battleship Ohio arrived here today from Magdalena Bay, where it had been engaged in target practice. The monitor Wyoming, from Bremerton, also arrived today.

PRESIDENT TALKS AT ANNAPOLIS

Attends Exercises of Graduating Class at Naval Academy.

WASHINGTON, January 30.—President Roosevelt and party left at 9:30 o'clock today for Annapolis to attend and participate in the exercises incident to the graduation of the class of 1905 from the Naval Academy.

The trip was made in a special train on the Pennsylvania railroad. Accompanying the President were Secretary Morton, Mrs. Morton, Miss Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Morton, Secretary Taft, Mrs. Taft, Mrs. Charles P. Taft, Secretary Loeb, Dr. P. M. Rixey, Commander Cameron M. Winslow, the President's naval aide; N. A. Latta, the President's stenographer; two secret service officers and several messengers.

At 3 o'clock the President and his immediate party will leave Annapolis for Philadelphia, where the President will address the Union League Club at a banquet to-night.

Secretaries Morton and Taft and their party will return to Washington from Annapolis.

PRESIDENT TALKS.

The President delivered the commencement address to the graduating class of the naval academy. The exercises were in the new armory, which was well filled with the midshipmen, the officers of the academy and their relatives and friends.

Although speaking directly to the graduating class of the naval academy, the President spoke to the Nation as well as to the midshipmen.

Addressing as "fellow midshipmen," the President began by saying that he was unable to see how a good American could fail to be a better American by coming to Annapolis and seeing what the navy was and what it was soon to be.

"More than any other people in the country," he said, "except the men of your sister service, you owe a peculiar care for your interests on the part of the representatives of the people."

"Of all the baseless alarms in the country," the President said, "the cry about militarism was the most foolish and most baseless."

"No nation is as free from the danger of a growth of militarism as we," he said. "The danger is lest we do not take sufficient thought to prepare our men and material. If this country intends to do its duty on the side of law and order, then it must see to it that it is able to make good, should the necessity arise."

Referring to the arbitration treaties now pending before the Senate, the President said every friend of peace will join heartily in seeing that these treaties become a part of the supreme law of the land. He said this nation seeks peace not because we are afraid of war, but because the American people love the eternal and immutable laws of justice and right-living.

"So much," he said, "for the general public." He then talked to the members of the graduating class, reminding them that one of their great duties was "to see that your shot hits." In the naval engagements of modern times, the President said, the defeated belligerents were defeated through no lack of bravery, but through lack of preparation or defective material.

In conclusion, he said: "If you will but rise to the level of your opportunities you will keep and maintain the proud fame of the American naval officer."

CORRUPTION.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 30.—The Police Committee of the Grand Jury have submitted a partial report. It finds that there is a regular organized system of gross police corruption in Chinatown. It has confessions of police officers.

BANDITS DEMAND A BIG RANSOM

MANILA, January 30.—The Ladrones who captured the wife and two children of former Governor Tring in the attack on San Francisco de Malabon on the night of January 24, now demand a ransom of 20,000 pesos for their release.

SENATE ORDERS HEARING.

SACRAMENTO, January 30.—In regard to the charge of Corbin that Dent Robert of the Examiner had asked Schmitt to provide a municipal job for Bunkers in consideration for his activity against the Continental, Keane said that the Mayor made an unqualified denial of the charge, and Keane further said that Corbin's allegations were part of a political conspiracy of Fremont Older of the San Francisco Bulletin, and Franklin K. Lane.

The San Francisco senator averred that Lane, who was defeated for the majority by Schmitt, was venting his personal spite against the present mayor.

The following resolution was introduced by Belflow:

"Whereas, there has been this day filed with the Secretary of the Senate in writing certain charges contained in an affidavit which reflects upon the honor and integrity of certain members with corruption, corrupt conduct, and a wilful violation of their obligations as members of this body, and

"Whereas, it is fit and proper that the charges be fully investigated by a committee to be appointed by the President of this Senate.

"Resolved, That a special committee of five be appointed by the president of the Senate to investigate all charges and statements contained in said affidavit, reflecting upon the honor, integrity and conduct of the certain members of this Senate with relation to the subject matter contained in said affidavit; and for that purpose, that the said committee be and it is hereby empowered to issue all necessary subpoenas; to have full power to send for persons, books and papers, and to compel the attendance of any and all necessary witnesses within this State, and require the production of any and all necessary papers, books or documents in order that the powers herein given may be fully carried out; and that it shall report the result of its investigation to this Senate at the earliest possible moment."

DIED.

KLEIN.—In this city, January 30, 1905, Minnie, relict of the late Moses Klein and beloved mother of Harry, Sigmond and Milton Klein and sister of Joseph M. Greenhood, a native of Austria, aged 56 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral tomorrow (Wednesday), at 2 o'clock p. m., from her late residence, 1127 San Pablo avenue, Interment Mountain View Cemetery.

LE BOULANGER.—In this city, at 808 Thirteenth street, January 30, 1905, Fabrice Le Boulanger, beloved husband of Annie J. Le Boulanger, and father of Louise, Claire, Jeanne and Fabrice Le Boulanger, a native of France, aged 62 years 4 months and 1 day.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services Thursday, February 2, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m., at his late home, 508 Thirteenth street.

FUNERAL NOTICE. Members of the Daughters of Israel Relief Society are herewith invited to attend the funeral of our late member, Mrs. Minnie Klein, tomorrow (Wednesday), February 1, at 2 p. m., from her late residence, 1127 San Pablo avenue. By order of the president, MRS. GUS COHEN, Recording Secretary.

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CORBIN'S LIVELY CHARGES.

SAYS THE EXAMINER IS URGING THE PROSECUTION.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 30.—In Secretary Corbin's affidavit read here today the following additional charge was made:

"That said agent of said Senators made the statement that one of the purposes of this committee was to assist the Examiner in its attack on Washington Dodge. That said agent for said Senators further stated that the Examiner had employed Bunkers to manage its plans in the committee and that Dent H. Robert, agent for the Examiner, had agreed that Eugene E. Schmitt, Mayor of San Francisco, should give Bunkers a municipal appointment in San Francisco at a large salary."

"Said agent further stated that said Dent H. Robert had said to Senator that the Continental Building Association must be ruined at all costs."

"Said agent further stated that the Examiner had settled with Messrs. Wright and French and had further agreed with said four Senators that arrangements made by them with other persons would not be disturbed or exposed. That the committee would do Messrs. Dodge, Corbin and the Continental Building and Loan Association."

"Said agent further stated among other things that certain Examiner reporters among them Al Murphy, commonly known as 'Blinker' Murphy, had been detailed by the Examiner to watch and assist said committee."

"That no fears need be entertained in dealing with members of the committee of any exposures of the Examiner."

CHURCH DEBT IS RAISED

Bishop John W. Hamilton of the Methodist Episcopal Church succeeded yesterday in raising the entire debt of the First Methodist Church, presided over by the Rev. E. R. Dille. The bishop was assisted by the pastor and also by E. S. Finch. The sum of \$5000 was raised at the morning service and \$1000 in the evening, making a grand total of \$6000. This debt had been accumulating for the last six years.

F. C. HAVENS AT SACRAMENTO.

HE WILL APPEAR BEFORE COMMITTEE TO EXPLAIN SYNDICATE METHODS.

SACRAMENTO, January 30.—Frank C. Havens, vice president of the Oakland Realty Syndicate, is here to appear before the Senate Committee on Commissions and Retrenchment tonight. If the case can be reached, to explain the methods employed by that concern and the security it gives for the millions in investment certificates which have been paid off by patrons.

He is accompanied by Attorney William R. Davis of Oakland.

GIVES RESIGNATION TO PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, January 30.—Robert B. Armstrong, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, as heretofore announced, has tendered his resignation to President Roosevelt to take effect on March 5 next, and it has been accepted. Mr. Armstrong's letter of resignation is the President's acceptance is of the same date. In accepting the resignation the President wrote Mr. Armstrong, saying: "I wish at this time to express my appreciation of the zeal, industry and marked administrative ability with which you have performed your duties and to express the heartiest good wishes for your future."

Mr. Armstrong's successor has not yet been selected.

EXPLANATION

LONDON, January 30.—The Foreign office has received a telegram from Consul-General Murray at Warsaw, reporting that himself and vice-consul Mucukain were charged by Russian cavalrymen engaged in clearing the streets of Warsaw.

It appears that Mr. Murphy is partially deaf and probably did not hear the approach of the troopers and when he subsequently endeavored to make his personality known it was without avail.

The Foreign Office has telegraphed to Ambassador Hardinge to make urgent representations at St. Petersburg on the subject.

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Race Suicide and Polygamy.

A Mormon elder at Logan, Utah, has undertaken to defend polygamy. He defied the United States to stop it, and indulged in some other rhodomontade on the subject. One of his statements, however, is worthy of some attention. He said it was polygamy or race suicide. This is a false and foolish statement. In the long run population will increase faster among monogamous peoples than among those who practice polygamy. Furthermore, it is not monogamy that is causing race suicide, but incontinence and luxury, coupled with the laxity of divorce laws and the failure of many of the church organizations to take a decided stand in defense of the sanctity of marriage contracts.

Divorce is a common institution among polygamous nations. In Utah the Mormon church sanctions the crudity of voluntary separation. All a husband has to do to get rid of a polygamous wife is to give her a "bill" certifying to the fact that he has divorced her. She is then at liberty to marry someone else. Years ago this form of divorce was quite commonly practiced in Utah, and polygamous wives were not infrequently transferred from one man to another by an agreement mutually satisfactory all around. It is needless to say that this system growing out of polygamy is infinitely worse than the divorce evil sanctioned by lax laws and encouraged by complaisant courts.

The Logan man who defended polygamy is a son of that Apostle Heber C. Kimball, who was reputed to have had more wives than Brigham Young himself. It is not particularly strange that a man born in a harem and probably the fruit of a polygamous marriage should be found defending the twin relic of barbarism, but his argument that polygamy is a preventative of race suicide is all nonsense.

A Washington dispatch says there is a pressing need of small change all over the country. This statement will be cordially endorsed by a great majority. The need of small change—and large change, for that matter—is inconveniently felt by a great many. It is provoking to go without a beer because the price is lacking.

John Brown's soul may be still marching on, but it evidently has not yet reached Wichita, Kansas, for all the hotels in that town recently refused to give quarters to Booker Washington.

A Ridiculous Proposition.

About the most ridiculous proposition that has yet come out of the attempt of Arizona and New Mexico to gain admission into the Union is the suggestion that Arizona be divided and one half attached to California and the other half to New Mexico. This is said to be endorsed by the Arizona bar association. We must say the Arizona bar association can be very foolish at times if it has given countenance to this scheme.

California has quite enough territory now, and the annexation of half of Arizona would only keep alive the sentiment in favor of dividing the State that is continually cropping up South of Tehachapi. Los Angeles wants to be a State capital, and it would have some reason to urge for the State division in case we annex 40,000 or 50,000 square miles of Arizona.

Tacking half of Arizona to New Mexico would immediately establish two hostile political divisions which would keep each other continually vexed.

New Mexico has an immense area and a population of over 200,000, which is rapidly increasing. At the last election the vote polled exceeded 46,000. This is more than Delaware polled, and only a few short of the total vote in South California. Arizona is far better prepared to become a State than either Wyoming or Idaho were at the time of their admission, and the population of Arizona today exceeds that of Wyoming. California sentiment favors the admission of Arizona because it believes the Territory is fitted to become a State, and for the further reason that letting Arizona come into the Union will add to the political strength of the Pacific Coast division. There is no sentiment in this State favoring the acquisition of a part of Arizona. We don't want the Territory divided or annexed to any other State or Territory.

For the sake of variety if for nothing else Kuropatkin should refrain from telegraphing to St. Petersburg the news of a victory till after he has gained it. Heretofore Oyama has come in with the last word while Kuropatkin was in retreat.

A Body Blow to the Trusts.

The decision of the Federal Supreme Court sustaining the legality of the injunction issued by Judge Grosscup restraining the big packing houses from entering into a combination in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law is a great victory for the people, and is a notable success in the anti-trust campaign inaugurated by the Administration.

The allied packing-houses of Chicago, having branches at Omaha, St. Joseph, Kansas City, Louisville and Fort Worth, constitute what is known as the Beef Trust. This association has conspired to control the meat trade of the country, to the injury of both producers and consumers. The trust fixed the prices which should be paid for cattle and hogs on the hoof as well as the prices at which dressed meat should be sold to dealers. In consequence, the price of dressed meat has gone up while the price of cattle has gone down.

If the packers violate the injunction made perpetual by the United States Supreme Court they can be cited for contempt and summarily punished. There is no doubt that Judge Grosscup will hold them to a stern responsibility for their actions.

Attorney-General Moody has pending a similar proceeding against the White Paper Trust, a combination quite as grasping though not so extensive in its operations. There is every reason to believe that its operations will be brought under the corrective ban of the law.

The Administration is redeeming its pledges with zeal and alacrity, and is growing stronger in public confidence every day. The people are behind the President in this matter with a fervor and unanimity unparalleled in the history of the country. Woe to those who stand in his path or attempt to block his efforts to relieve the public of trust exaction!

WARDEN TOMPKIN'S RUMORED RESIGNATION

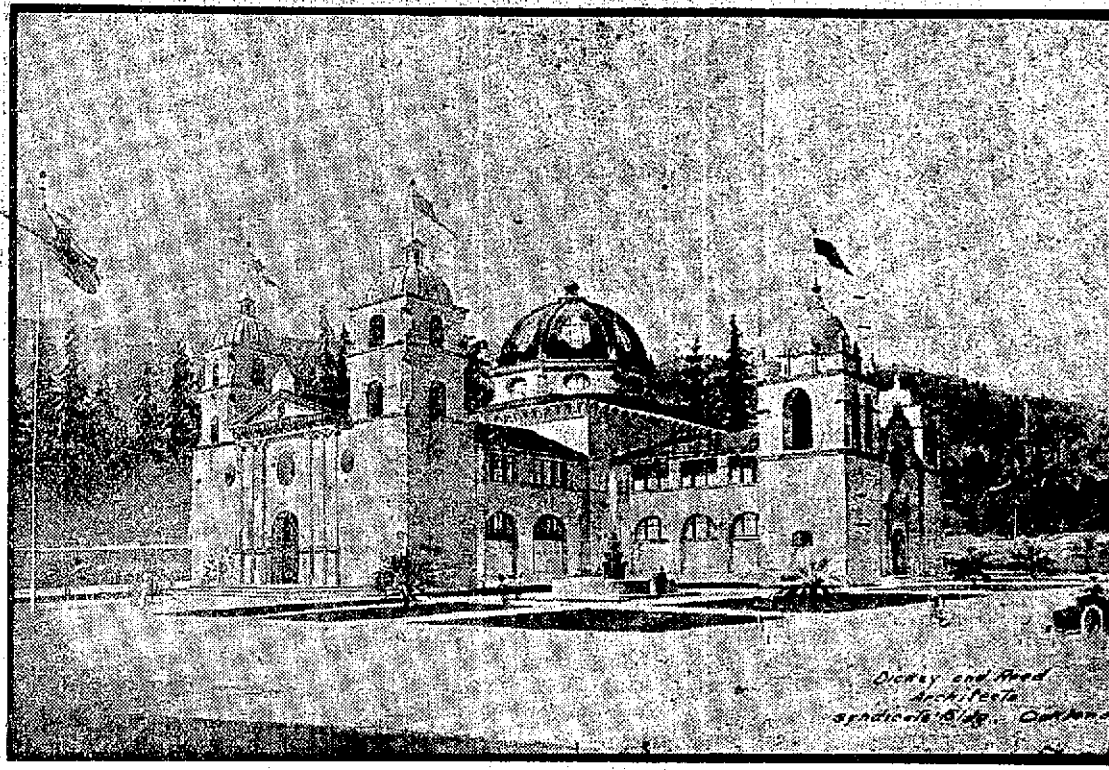
Warden Tompkins of San Quentin prison has signified his intention of resigning at an early day. If there is any truth in some of the stories that have reached the outside world of the lax discipline and of Christmas dinners in the warden's home to favored prisoners, such action would be both appropriate and timely.—Livermore Herald.

CHIPS FROM OTHER BLOCKS.

What with "bloody Sunday" in St. Petersburg and the murder of the Hull fishermen, the Russian army and navy need not waste time pining for glory.—Philadelphia North American.

Too many people only want to press the button and have someone else do the rest.—Philadelphia Record.

Money lenders are looking with more doubt than charity upon the



THE CALIFORNIA BUILDING TO BE ERECTED AT THE LEWIS & CLARK EXPOSITION, PORTLAND.—DRAWING BY DICKEY & REED, OAKLAND.

new Russian loan. It seems that here is where the strikers struck their most telling blow.—Sacramento Union.

A DEAD Englishwoman was awakened by the undertaker measuring her for a shroud. "The ruling passion strong in death."—Buffalo News.

Probably General Kuropatkin never appreciated until now the advantage of being 5,000 miles from St. Petersburg.—Kansas City Star.

Russian sailors will no doubt be glad to hear that work has been stopped on all the ships that were being made ready to be sent to the far East.—Chicago Record-Herald.

If all the fool bills introduced in all the legislatures of this glorious Union were heaped in one pile, what a jolly bonfire they would make.—San Bernardino Times-Index.

Here is John Goodenow in San Francisco again, proceeding to Washington to answer charges. They generally come along when the lobsters and society at the capital are good.—Minneapolis Journal.

We may yet hear of the college students of Colorado holding demonstrations in the public squares of Denver and demanding trial by jury, free speech and representative government.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

It is reported that Rojstvensky proposes to cruise in the Indian Ocean. He must have strong reasons for believing the Japanese fleet will be somewhere else.—Chicago Record-Herald.

The military parade ground at The Hague has been selected as the site for the Carnegie Palace of Peace. Ultimately every barrack may have given way to some such structure. But it will be some time yet.—New York Commercial.

SOME PASSING JESTS.

"Surely you are not jealous of your husband?"
"Yes I am. He simply can't keep his eyes off the women."
"Oh, yes, he can. You should see him some time when he has a seat in a crowded street car."

"Is Mr. Cumrox going to have his portrait done in oil?"
"No," answered Mrs. Cumrox, "we feared it might not be in good taste. You see, oil is where Mr. C. made most of his money."—Washington Star.

"Tis said woman can't keep a secret,
And yet how often we hear tell
Of one who is certainly forty,
And keeping her age very well."
—Philadelphia Ledger.

"You enjoy a classical composition more after you have heard it a few times."
"I don't know," answered Mr. Cumrox, "whether I enjoy it or whether I get used to it and don't notice it so much."—Washington Star.

"Say, pa, was Shakespeare the smartest man that ever lived?"
"I should say not. I know a fellow who understands all about this Chicago Traction muddle."—Chicago Record-Herald.

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CALL OF THE WANDER-SPIRIT.

Come out to the open, brothers, Leave children, and wives, and mothers, And range afar with me. Afar where the winds are giving Their souls to wander free. Where life's for the lusty living— Come, brothers, come with me. The spray of the salted surge Cuts sharp with tonic pain, The spume of the billow merges In ice, and stings again. But down long ocean reaches They turn with wistful eyes, And silver of tropic beaches, The green of the fruited palm. Thus day and night I call them In spring, in winter, drear; Whatever the fates befall them They cannot, will not hear. They toil and bear in sadness The ancient yoke of Need, The guerdon of all their madness— Nor pause, nor hope, nor heed. They soothe a mother's sorrow, They guard a wife's repose, For marvellous children borrow Its fragrance from the rose. Content with bribe and barter, And counterplot of care, Half sinner and half a martyr, They dare, and fear to dare. Yet sometimes to my calling They turn with wistful eyes, And under the laughter falling I hear their smothered sighs— Louise Morgan Sill, in Harper's Magazine. Change that sorrow, plimply face to a clear, clean one by using Lash's Bitters. Galindo, Hotel Bar, 411 Eighth street. Frank Courant and Fred Frame, prop's. Phone Red 444.

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Any one who has felt in the dark for a match-box, only to find it gone from its place, knows the disappointment that ensues.

One who has required a string in a hurry understands the perplexity that may arise from the want of a ball of twine or a box or bag filled with short cords.

It is troublesome when one wishes to write a memorandum and has no lead pencil at hand. If the pencil be accessible but pointless, matters seem all the worse.

How easy it is to take a stitch in time when everything necessary is at hand, and how difficult when the case is vice versa!

Pools of cotton of various numbers, silk of different hues, needles of graduated size, wax, emery and sharp scissors—a good supply of these greatly expedite the work of the needlewoman.

In the matter of writing, when the desk is well stocked with stationery, pens, good ink and postage stamps, there is inducement to the prompt correspondence. Philadelphia Inquirer.

THE OLD FLAG.

By Henry C. Bunker. Off with your hat as the old flag goes by.

And let the heart have its say: You're man enough for a tear in your eye.

That you will not wipe away. You're man enough for a thrill that goes To you very finger tips—

Av! the lump just then in your throat Spoke more than your parted lips.

Lift up the boy on your shoulder high, And show him the faded shred— Those stripes would be red as the sunset sky.

If death could have dyed them red. The man who bore it with death has lain This forty years and should not be vain He died that the work should not be vain Of the men who bore it before.

The man that bears it is bent and old, And ragged his beard, and gray— But look at his eye-fire young and bold, At the time that he hears them play.

The old tune thunders through all the air, And strikes right into the heart— If ever it calls for you, be there! Be there, and ready to start.

Off with your hat as the flag goes by: Uncover the youngster's head! Teach him to hold it holy and high, For the sake of its sacred dead.

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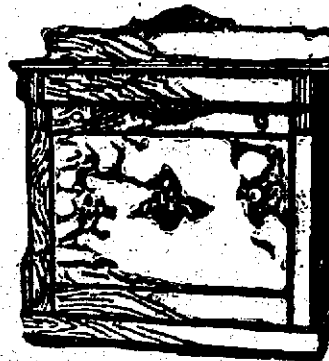
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OAKLAND CLUB PROGRAM IS ANNOUNCED.

EBELL ENTERTAINS TODAY--MANY EVENTS PLANNED BY SMART SET.

The Oakland Club announces a series of very interesting dates for the coming month. The sections have all resumed their work for the new year and are busy planning social and intellectual reunions.

The program for February is as follows:

Wednesday, February 1st--10:30 a. m. meeting of executive board, 2:00 p. m. club meeting. Reports of officers and committees, 3 p. m. program "Sketch of a World's Tour," by Mrs. W. A. Childs, music by Miss Abbie Sanborn.

Wednesday, February 8th--2:00 p. m. Current Literature Section Mrs. Florence Hardman Miller, chairman. Review, The Macquarrie, C. Beverend, Ernest Baker, J. 15 p. m. Forestry Section, Mrs. Clara A. Pace, chairman.

Friday, February 10th--2:00 p. m. Memory Section, Mrs. Cora E. Jones, chairman.

Wednesday, February 15th--10:30 a. m. meeting of Executive Board, 12:30 p. m. club luncheon. Mrs. George Samuel, chairman of Committee. Seats cannot be secured or relinquished after Monday, the 15th. Please send notice to the club or address Mrs. Samuel's phone Brown 873.

Wednesday, February 22nd--Being a National holiday there will be no club meeting on that day.

Friday, February 24th--2:30 p. m. art section Mrs. A. J. Ellsberry, chairman; Florentino Art, Leonardo Da Vinci; Miss Manning Mrs. Place, Mrs. Peters, Mrs. Jones Mrs. Steers, The American Artist, George H. Boughton, reading, Michael Angelo's Monologue, Long-fellow.

The ebullient club entertained this afternoon and seldom has a better musical program been presented at the club gathering. The program by members of the section was augmented by Mrs. James Madden soloist from San Francisco and the Harmony Quartette.

The club rooms were beautifully decorated with foliage and clusters of early spring flowers. Mrs. May F. Jordan is the curator of the section and the director. The members of the Harmony Quartette are Mrs. A. T. Fletcher and Mrs. James Madden sopranos, Miss Mabel Gordon and Mrs. Robert Lloyd, altos. Miss Edith Adams was the accompanist for the quartette and Mrs. Arthur Moore accompanied for the choir.

The members of this well-known section include Mrs. Edgar Bishop, Miss Grace Russell, Mrs. F. F. Carlson, Mrs. E. S. Hutchins, Mrs. C. G. Harrison, Mrs. F. I. Kendall, Mrs. B. H. Langley, Mrs. William Morris, Mrs. C. B. Parcells, Mrs. J. H. Shanklin, Mrs. A. Webster, Mrs. Cora E. Jones, Mrs. Annie Lloyd, Mrs. Melvin Chapman, Mrs. A. T. Eastland and Mrs. W. J. Hotchkiss.

Miss Mary F. Jordan, Mrs. C. A. Kieula, Mrs. F. McHenry, Mrs. J. A. Meigs, Mrs. D. R. Rae, Mrs. George Stahl, Miss Velles Whitmore, Mrs. M. J. Blundell, Mrs. C. O. Smith, Mrs. F. Hurd, Mrs. D. B. Hunter, Mrs. H. G. Kendall, Mrs. G. S. Lackie, Mrs. J. W. McClure, Mrs. J. W. McVernon, Miss Anita Oliver and Mrs. J. W. Scott.

This section is to be assisted in receiving by the directors, the piano section and others interested in the section. The section is to include Mrs. J. E. Hume, Mrs. Charles W. Kinsey, Mrs. S. J. Taylor, Mrs. John Binkwell, Miss Jennie Hall, Mrs. Carrie Garritt, Mrs. Elia Powell, Mrs. Ralph Kinney, Mrs. George Shaw, Mrs. W. S. Goodfellow, Mrs. William R. Davis, Mrs. Edgar P. Stone and Mrs. J. E. Zimmerman.

Mrs. William Gruenhagen, Mrs. George W. Kelly, Mrs. E. C. Morrison, Mrs. R. H. Auerbach, Mrs. H. H. Church, Mrs. E. E. Merrill, Mrs. E. F. Welch, Mrs. J. B. Cluttenber, Miss Bullock, Mrs. Thomas Phoebe, Mrs. Eleanor Drusel and Mrs. William T. Todd.

FOR LUNCHEON.

Miss Hilda Van Sicken has sent out

invitations for a large luncheon to be given Wednesday afternoon at the Claremont Country Club. Mrs. Edna Davis and Miss Sarah Hodges of San Francisco will be the complimentary guests and twenty society girls are included in the guest list.

ELABORATE LUNCHEON.

Mrs. Henry Butters has planned to entertain a dozen guests Wednesday at an elaborate luncheon to be given at Alta Vista. The guests will be Mrs. Samuel Holliday, Mrs. Downey Harvey, Mrs. Eleanor Martin, Mrs. Homer King, Mrs. Isaac L. Requa, Mrs. H. E. Huntington, Mrs. Burke Hollett, Miss Anna Harvey, Miss King and Miss Marguerite Butters.

DINNER GUESTS.

Miss Anita Oliver presided at a delightful little dinner given last evening at her home on Vernon Heights in honor of Miss Marie Hopps and Miss Carolyn Oliver, who leaves Wednesday for a long stay in the East.

The table decoration was an exquisite birch bark basket laden with early daffodils and the favors were tiny baskets holding the same delicate flower. The place cards were daffodils done in water color.

Covers were laid for Miss Oliver, Miss Hopps, Miss Noelle de Golla, Miss Cordelia Bishop, Miss Marion Smith and Dr. Harry Alderson, Charles D. Bates, Ralph Jones, George Jensen, Roland Oliver and Dr. Rodney Jones.

BRIDGE PARTY.

Mrs. Harry Haight entertains Friday at an informal bridge party to be given at the Country Club in honor of Mrs. Frank Gray.

The guest list includes Mrs. Glenn Barnhart, Miss Jane Haight, Mrs. Louis Bissell, Mrs. Oliver Haight, Mrs. Thomas Rickard, Mrs. George Young, Miss Laura Farnsworth, Mrs. Leigh Jones and Mrs. William Lyman Shale.

GUEST OF HONOR.

Mrs. Frank Richardson Wells was the complimented guest at a luncheon given Saturday afternoon by her sister, Mrs. Will Mear.

The guests who participated in the elaborate affair were: Mrs. Frank Richardson Wells, Mrs. C. G. Miller, Mrs. Yvonne Egan, Mrs. H. M. A. Miller, Mrs. Seward McNear, Mrs. Charles Minor Cooper, Mrs. Charles S. Wheeler, Miss Florence Hush, Mrs. Joseph Flint, Mrs. Edward Schindler Jr. and Mrs. Fred Beaver.

HOME WEDDING.

The marriage of Mrs. M. Edna Jones and James M. Wishart took place Saturday evening at the home of the bride. The parlor where the ceremony was performed were beautifully decorated with smilax and white roses and under a floral bowler the nuptial knot was tied by the Rev. Grove, pastor of the Christian Church. Miss Ethel Wishart played the Mendelssohn wedding march after the ceremony.

The bride's gown was of champagne broadcloth elaborated with lace. She wore diamond ornaments and carried a bouquet of white roses and ferns. After an informal reception, supper was served and covers laid for twenty guests. The table decorations were of smilax and ferns. From Pasadena and the room is a well-known inventor and manager of the Wishart Manufacturing Company.

Among the guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Westaway, Mr. and Mrs. Groves, Mr. and Mrs. Russell, Russell Schroeder, Mrs. L. M. O'Neill, Miss Frances O'Neill, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Cook, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Elliott, Mrs. Dorothy and Miss Grace Elliott, Mrs. Marion Ober, Miss Ethel Wishart. The newly wedded pair received a number of handsome wedding presents.

AN ENTERTAINMENT.

The ladies of the choir of the Christian Church announce a delightful entertainment for Thursday evening, February 2, at Hamilton Hall, Dr. C. S. Dear, a prominent member of the Orpheus Club and several others from the well-known musical organization will take part. The entertainment is to be both musical and dramatic, including numbers by Mrs. Mellinger, the elocutionist. The members of the choir are working hard for the affair, which promises to be a great success.

TELEPHONE TEA.

Miss Lella Evans gave an informal telephone tea last week. Mrs. Charles Carroll Leavitt of San Francisco as guest of honor. Those invited to meet Mrs. Leavitt were: Misses Egan and Helen Powell, Miss Helen Dille, Miss Elizabeth Scapham, Mrs. Carlwright, George Locke, Miss Florence Price, Mrs. Cole the Misses Evans and others.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Toy expect to leave for New York very shortly, where they will be joined by Miss Mabel Toy, who has been spending the winter in the East.

Mrs. Thomas Magee will be hostess at an elaborate dinner to be given this evening at the Palace Hotel.

Mrs. Peckham Ames, Mrs. P. E. Bowles and Mrs. George H. Mendall Jr. will entertain Wednesday at a bridge party given in San Francisco.

Mrs. Clara M. Mann will entertain at an elaborate dinner to be given Thursday evening at her home across the bay. The affair is complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Bergvin.

Miss Beatrice Fife will entertain guests from both sides of the bay Saturday afternoon at a tea complimentary to Miss Eliza Draper.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Meek are closing their beautiful home at San Lorenzo and will reside at Antioch for the present. Mrs. Meek will leave on Saturday for a three weeks' visit in Southern California, stopping at all the points of interest.

Harry E. Miller was a recent visitor in Santa Cruz.

Miss Julia Fraser, who is traveling in the interest of her husband, will stop at the Presbyterian Church at Point Arena recently.

Theodore Gier, Wilber Walker and W. H. Welby have been appointed to arrange for an exhibit of Alameda county resources at the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

Miss Frances Danich is the guest of Mrs. J. B. Lauck of Sacramento.

Mrs. William Harter of this city was the guest of friends recently at Lodi.

CHURCH SINGER CALLED BY DEATH.

Mrs. Lucy E. Bangle, a prominent church singer, died Saturday evening at her home, 1275 Tenth avenue. She had been a resident of this city for the last twenty-six years. She was well known in social and religious circles in East Oakland. For a number of years she has been a member of the choir of the First Methodist Church. She leaves a husband, Branson Bangle.

The funeral was held today from the family residence. The services were conducted at the home at 1:30 o'clock.

CADETS TO ENTERTAIN.

Much interest at present is being centered in the entertainment and dance which Company M. L. C. C. intends to give its friends on the evening of February 21st. The affair will take place in St. Anthony's Hall East Oakland, and the great number of friends

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I particularly desire that those whose habits of thought and environment would perhaps make it seem that one who thus publishes himself must be "of the earth earthly," should themselves call upon me. My work is noble in its character--I conceive it to be my duty to man and myself that I should let the world know that I possess the power to Heal and Cure.

If you are sick COME TO ME. I WILL CURE YOU. BELIEVE ME.

If you are too sick to call in person, send a letter or a friend. DO IT NOW.

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to which this company lays claim makes the event an assured success. Company M is the latest addition to the League of the Cross, being not as yet a year old, and while it has played the part of an excellent host at several private affairs yet its first public effort in the entertaining line. Anyone who knows the boys will tell you that if you are looking for an evening's pleasure, the best way to find it is by showing up at St. Anthony's Hall on the evening of February 21st.

WANTS DAMAGES FOR HIS INJURY

The trial of a damage suit brought in behalf of Clarence Whitaker against the California Door Company for \$10,000 damages for the crippling of his hand and the loss of two of his fingers in the machinery at the factory was begun before Judge Greene yesterday. The plaintiff has demanded a jury trial and the selection of the men to listen to the evidence is now being made.

Whitaker claims that he went to the mill to handle lumber and that he was afterwards, without proper instruction, set to work on a machine known as a "sticker" and lost his fingers. He alleges that the company is responsible for his loss and that in equity he is entitled to damages.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the County Clerk to-day: Charles J. Schilling, Hayward.....over 21 Amelia Wrede, Hayward.....over 18 Arthur V. Bechtel, Oakland.....over 21 Estella M. Johnson, Oakland.....over 18 John H. Reynolds, Berkeley.....over 21 Mary A. Peterson, Berkeley.....over 18

AGAINST TAXATION.

BUTTE Mont. Jan 31--The American Fraternal Congress, 30,000 strong have presented a petition to the Legislature protesting against the proposed taxation of the various fraternal orders in the State and bringing different orders under State control in line with the suggestion of Governor T. K. Toole in his message to the solons.

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FAUST AT TIVOLI TONIGHT.

MISS TETRAZZINI TO PLAY THE PART OF MARQUERITE.

"Faust," in all its beauty of lines and acting, will be produced at the Tivoli Theatre tonight by the Italian Opera company which has been playing to large audiences at this popular house for the past three weeks. Tonight, Tetrazzini will play the part of Marguerite. This clever little actress has already shown theatre-goers about the bay her capabilities, and her performance tonight will only increase her popularity.

The repertoire for the remainder of this, the last week of the company's stay in San Francisco, is as follows: Wednesday night, "La Boheme," with Berlini as Mimì; Thursday night, "Lucia," with Tetrazzini as Lucia; Friday night, "Zaza," with Berlini as Zaza; Saturday matinee,

MANY UNIONS ARE AFFILIATED

NEW YORK, January 31--The largest central body of building trades unions ever organized in this city the Associated Building Trades has effected a permanent organization. It contains thirty-three unions directly engaged in the building trades with an aggregate membership of 75,000, and is a much stronger body than even the old board of building trades, of which Samuel V. Parks was president. Five representatives from every affiliated union are in the new organization which has an under body called the Board of Representatives or walking delegates which will meet every Wednesday. This board will order strikes when authorized by the Associated Building Trades, but has no voting power at regular meetings of the body. The unions of housemiths and bridge men and of bricklayers--two of the strongest local labor bodies are the only ones of consequence not included in the membership. They have been asked to join.

Arbitration of all difficulties is provided for under the constitution which states that strikes will be a last resort. Within a week a committee will be appointed to wait on the Building Trades Employers' Association and demand a conference to end the present lockout and order that a joint conference may be held of representatives of unions and employers to formulate a new arbitration agreement.

WILL MAKE A FIGHT. Public Administrator George Gray intends to make Daniel J. Donovan prove that he is a son of the late Margaret Dunn who died recently at the County Infirmary leaving an estate of the value of \$5,500 and to this end filed an answer to a petition for letters of administration filed by him and denies that he is any relative of hers. Donovan came here from Boston a short time ago and says that the deceased's proper name is Margaret Donovan and that he is her only heir.

RUSSIA'S MISSING. ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 31--A telegram from Schiatun dated January 29th states that the Russian losses from January 25th to 29th were 10,000 but that the percentage of dead was small. The Japanese losses were very heavy. Over 800 were made prisoners.

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TAXPAYERS DISCUSS WATER QUESTION.

SAYS IT WILL INFLICT A LABOR ORGAN'S WARNING.

Thomas Moran Believes the Bay Cities Bond Proposition Should Be Voted Down.

Thomas Moran, an old and highly respected citizen of large means, gives the following reasons for opposing the proposed water bonds.

Editor Tribune:—Give me space in your columns to express my views in regard to the proposed bond issue.

At present only consumers are required to pay for water. If we bond the City to install a competitive plant, every owner of improved, or unimproved property must pay the special tax for interest and redemption and in addition pay for the use of water he uses as a consumer.

The owner of property in the outside districts of the city, with a few acres and with no improvements and no income from the property will pay his bond tax, and the man who owns a windmill will be taxed to pay for the water somebody else uses.

If the bonds carry, it will be three years before we get water into this city. The bonds will be already sold and the tax raised to meet the interest and redemption payments, while consumers will be still paying the present rates for water.

Grant that the city water is already in. A consumer pays, say, at the rate of \$2.50 per month. Mr. Dingee could drop the same to one dollar, a difference of \$1.50 per month.

At these figures would the City be able to sell enough water to pay interest on the bonds? If not, who would pay the deficit?

The taxpayers, of course.

When the Council sent out cards for voters to sign in behalf of the Bay Cities' scheme, I signed the card, but upon looking closer into the matter, I have changed my mind entirely and advise every voter to examine this proposition very carefully before he votes for it, for I believe it will inflict a great injury on the city.

OBJECTS TO THE BAY CITIES PLAN

Editor TRIBUNE:—Dear Sir: As this water question seems to be a free-for-all discussion, I would like to add my mite by way of support to those who are opposing the bonding scheme, as it is at present proposed.

I am impressed with the fact that a scheme of some sort will have to be adopted whereby the city that now is and the city that will be in the near future can be adequately supplied with a good quality of water at a fair rate, but I am also impressed with a feeling that the plan now under discussion will not do it.

Suppose, for instance, that the bonds carry at the election; it would be at least two or three years before the plant could be completed and the city in a position to deliver water. In the meantime the other two water companies who claim the same source of supply, will not be idle and if they can make good their claim, there will be no water to deliver; and truth there will be none while these claims remain unsettled which may be twenty years. Meanwhile we will be paying interest on the bonds issued to pay for construction.

Again granting that we get the water, The Contra Costa Company is not going out of business; they are able to deliver between 12,000,000 and 14,000,000 gallons of water per day and the result will be a lively competition with the result that while our water bills will be lower, the expense of operating the city's plant will be greater than the income from it and the difference will have to be made up by extra taxation. Our present rate will probably be doubled, the growth of the city stopped, and all business more or less paralyzed.

Some of our citizens appear to welcome the idea of competition, but surely I think they must be of that class who do not own any realty here and therefore have nothing to lose and all to gain by a rate war.

To a really owner the possibility of having his taxes doubled would be a serious matter.

I think this entire proposition in its

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A LABOR ORGAN'S WARNING.

BAY CITIES PROPOSITION CALLED A SCHEME OF FRENZIED FINANCE.

(Industrial News, Jan. 27th.)

If the Bay Cities proposition carries at the polls it looks to us as if a heavy load will be imposed on many mechanics and workmen, who are buying homes on installment or are carrying mortgages for part of the purchase price. Taxes in this city are now at the breaking point, and if taxes and interest rates are increased, as they certainly will be if the bonds are voted, a hard blow will be struck at the prosperity of the town.

There will be a diminution of building and other improvements, which will throw a great number of workmen out of employment. This will make business bad for the grocer, the baker the milkman and all other tradesmen. Idleness and stagnation will succeed, ready employment and business activity.

Property owners are not going to put their money into new buildings if their already heavy taxes are to be raised for years to come, and the city saddled with a huge bonded debt that will make impossible street improvements and the purchase of park grounds. Investors will shun a town loaded down with debt and high taxes. It will be hard to borrow money to build with, and harder still to earn money with which to pay for homes.

Do workmen propose to vote to bring such a condition upon themselves? Do they wish to stop the growth of the city and cut themselves out of employment?

They are asked to spite one corporation by voting away millions to another corporation, which proposed to give a cloudy title to an indefinite supply of water yet to fall from the clouds. They are asked to mortgage their homes and the city to do this. It is like asking a man to put his head in the lion's mouth because a dog is nipping at his heels. It looks very much as if the sentiment in favor of public ownership was being artfully worked in the interests of a gigantic speculative job.

According to the showing made in the Council by the proponents of this scheme \$325,000 will have to be raised the first of the year on bond account if the bonds are voted. Every dollar of this sum will have to be raised by taxation. In the meantime we will be paying the present water rates. When the proposed supply comes in—if it ever gets here—it will cost as much to maintain as we are now paying the Contra Costa Water Company. Where will the consumers and the taxpayers get off?

Besides, nobody knows what sort of a contract the Council will enter into with the Bay Cities Company. The contract will be made by a new Council after the bonds are voted.

How is this for frenzied finance? It looks like a trap for the taxpayers of Oakland.

DOES NOT LIKE WOODEN PIPE

Editor TRIBUNE:—Relative to the Bay Cities water works proposition upon which the citizens of Oakland are asked to vote a very large amount—a sum sufficient to secure first-class water works, first class material, the very best for its special part in or about the entire system, if not so intended it should be so. My understanding is that it is proposed to use a large quantity of wooden pipe in conveying pipe for the water to this city. Here is where my doubts of securing a first class system of works arise. How is it possible to build a first class system of water works using second or third class material, in any particular part. Is not cast iron pipe, wrought riveted, preferable to wood. My experience in using wooden pipe in water systems was proved very unsatisfactory, not because it would not stand the pressure or decay but from the fine fibre of the wood which with the current of the water becomes detached from the inner surface of the pipe and distributes itself throughout the entire system which, when seen through a glass by the general eye resembles a living species which at once becomes objectionable and demands a remedy in the substitutions of suitable pipe. (Coating the pipe barely meets the objection.)

I have constructed systems of water works in eighteen cities of which Santa Rosa, California, was the latest. I have long since come to the absolute conclusion that water systems in municipal corporations must in every feature be first class and to the mark absolutely or never be at all. In this matter I have looked into the future but a short distance. There are other questions to follow both chemical and mechanical.

Respectively, PAUL B. PERKINS, Mechanical Engineer, 258 Center St.

DUNN ESTATE.

An inventory of the estate of the late Martin M. Dunn filed this afternoon shows his estate to be valued at \$187,000. With the exception of about \$1,000 his entire estate consists of real estate.

WILDEST OF PROPOSITIONS SAYS W. F. CURTIS.

Well Known Builder Declares the Bay Cities Scheme Will Drive Investment From Oakland.

W. F. Curtis, a retired architect and builder, who has been a resident and taxpayer of Oakland for the last thirty-five years gives his reasons for opposing the Bay Cities' bond proposition in the following communication:

Editor TRIBUNE:—I am decidedly opposed to the proposition to bond the city to acquire the Bay Cities' plant, so decidedly, indeed, that I strongly object to spending money for holding a bond election.

It will make taxes nearly four per cent, which will be such a burden to property owners that they cannot get anything like a reasonable return on their investment.

It will be utterly impossible to make the plant self-supporting against the competition of a company already in the field. I don't own a share of Contra Costa stock, and have no reason to love that corporation, but I can't see how the city can gain any benefit by bonding itself for millions to engage in an exhausting war of water rates.

In my opinion it is the wildest proposition ever put before the citizens of Oakland. On general principles I believe in the municipal ownership of water, if the way

WANTS TO SEE BONDS VOTED

January 29, 1905.

Editor TRIBUNE:—I think the citizens of Oakland will make a very grave mistake if they do not vote bonds to buy the Bay Cities Water plant. This cry of extra taxation which many so-called smart conservative business men raise, cannot be founded on a true business calculation, neither can the fear of going into debt be a real cause of opposition to the Bay Cities offer as they must surely know from past experience that the managers of the present water plant will never allow the city of Oakland freedom from court proceedings unless the Council of this city will fix the water rate at the valuation placed upon the present plant by said managers; and we who pay water rates know full well what that will mean.

As for competition it does not take a smart business man long to figure out who will be the loser; if he will take the figures as giving by the managers of the Contra Costa water plant (and many think the figures are by many thousands dollars below the true revenue) namely \$574,000 from the buyers of water in this city. The total revenue derived from taxes in the city of Oakland is \$850,000 or thereby or \$276,000 more than the total revenue received by the water company from sale of water in the city of Oakland.

Any one of an inquiring mind will find that the sum paid for water by the average tax payer is one-half more than he pays for city taxes—that is to say if his taxes are \$16.00 his water bill will be \$24.00 per year. Now with a competing plant in the field water would be sold at one-half the present price.

We will suppose the city is not able to sell water to the citizens of Oakland by reason of the managers of the present plant cutting rates so low that the officials of the city would think it foolish to sell for. The city would of course supply water for public purposes which would bring in enough revenue to pay for the management of the plant. The city would have to raise the money by taxation to pay off the sinking fund interest on bonds or a sum of \$400,000, or about two-thirds of the present taxation, which would amount to something like 65 cents on each \$100 of the present valuation (and not four per cent as has been stated in these columns.)

Now then, the water rates are cut in two. The general tax is raised 65 cents per \$100. I ask the smart business, yes and slow business man too, what he thinks now of his own new water plant. Does he ever expect to get it easier.

I also ask him to think what it will mean to this (his and mine) fair city to have the water question settled for good. Soon he would see fine gardens in all the resident part of Oakland; improvements which we need very much would come soon.

For as the bonded indebtedness grew less, with a city growing in population and wealth, having plenty of water at a low rate, the citizens would be willing and ready to bond our city for every needed improvement. Other cities have done so. Why not Oakland?

Thanking you for this opportunity to

OBJECTS TO THE BONDING SCHEME

Editor TRIBUNE:—Is the Bay Cities water or even the Contra Costa the best water supply obtainable for Oakland and the adjacent cities?

No sound business man would select either of those properties when there are other superior projects in sight. The Water Committee at their hearings have refused to consider every water supply offered, unless the promoters would guarantee their respective systems to be most suitable. Everything has hinged on the word "guarantee." Several meritorious water systems from the Sierra Nevada Mountains were refused to be considered on that ground alone.

Among the turned-down projects was the American River, having its intake at Auburn, Placer county. This project was offered to furnish Oakland and San Francisco with pure water without pumping or filtering; gravitation being sufficient; also electricity from the same source. Its plan is to convey in two independent steel water pipes each four feet in diameter, 60,000,000 gallons daily, with 10,000 electric horse power to San Francisco via Oakland.

The cost of the whole work, without the service pipes in the streets of either city, including the perpetual right to have and use a catchment basin containing more than 1,000 square miles, in the maximum rainfall of the State, where the average rainfall is sixty inches; together with 1,000 acres in fee on the banks of the river, carrying the key of the situation; having machinery, roads and buildings thereon, is only \$4,000,000 for the water requirements, poles and fixtures. The promoter's price for all his holdings is only \$100,000.

This is the plant that Charles W. Reed investigated, when he was a Supervisor and chairman of the San Francisco Board of Public Utilities, and said to me, "You have a perfect scheme for furnishing San Francisco with water."

From this source Oakland may have an annual income of a million dollars from the sale of electricity. Let the voters of Oakland, before they vote for bonds, compare the American River with the paltry Coyote Creek having a snake swamp naturally so foul as to require constant filtering and an outlay of \$45,000 to clean the reservoir silt; has no possible electric power; no returning income. Only one conduit, and that a wooden one. Annual rainfall 22 1-2 inches. Water shed 65 miles. Area of reservoir and height of dirt dams not ascertained.

Will the taxpayers of Oakland allow themselves to be fleeced out of the millions which the Bay Counties Company require; a clean gain to the company, which will still retain the great body of the ranch, the whole of which is now, and always has been fit only for a cow pasture.

JAY E. RUSSELL, Oakland, January 31, 1905.

JOHN M'COMB IS INSANE.

JUDGE HALL ORDERS HIM COMMITTED TO THE UKIAH ASYLUM.

Assisting in his own examination for insanity John McComb, writer and journalist, appeared as rational as any of his inquisitors this morning when taken before the insanity commission and seemingly quite willing took his commitment to the Ukiah Insane Asylum by Judge S. P. Hall.

He stated that he thought that he was in need of rest and at his own request was sent to the Ukiah Asylum as he said that he had been there before and that Dr. King understood his case and was an old friend of his family.

Asked to explain these acts McComb stated that he had gone out into the street and could only account for it by the fact that he had been impressed by the fact that the street superintendent had not been doing his duty and that he intended to clear the ditch of dirt that had accumulated. In regard to the slashing of his father's portrait he admitted that he had done it, but said that he would rather not tell his reason.

His case is a peculiar one as he stated that he had been to Agency Asylum several times, and also to a private asylum. He said that he had these attacks but that he generally recovered very quickly and once had only been confined for twenty-one days. The longest time he was ever confined was five months. He said that he had been engaged in writing a book and had worked very hard mentally of late and thought the rest would do him good.

Tall and big he came into court muffled up in a big overcoat and looked as if he had been out all night. He, however, made no demonstration although all last night he made a great noise and destroyed his hat and this morning Warden Page did not attempt to go into his cell until he was accompanied by several deputy sheriffs. He gave his age as 45.

WM. F. CURTIS, 1127 Filbert Street.

Dizzy Spells

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure

That dizzy spell is an important message from the heart—a plea for help. If this message receives no attention others come: Shortness of breath, palpitation, weak or fainting spells, smothering or choking sensations, pains around the heart, in side or shoulders, and so on, until it receives the necessary help, or is compelled to give up—stop.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 31, 1905.

PERSONAL.

ON and after this date, January 30, 1905, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Sarah Gordo.

FRANK GORDO.

NOTICE—I hereby notify the public that I will no longer be in any way responsible for bills contracted by my wife, Mrs. Ferris.

J. FERRIS.

MRS. KOTTER, clairvoyant, palmist, card reader, from Dec up, 1063 Franklin st.

A—\$1000 reward for a case of acne rosacea, falling hair, pimples, blackheads, moths, eczema, scrofula, or other that I understand to cure. Write to Dr. W. C. Schley, Dermatologist, 229 Powell st., San Francisco.

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INFORMATION WANTED.

Anyone knowing of the present whereabouts of Mrs. Parent or Mrs. Parent will confer a great favor by addressing Box 909, Tribune Office.

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WANTED—Miscellaneous. CASH paid for old gold, watches cleaned, \$1; warranted. Halsey, 414 14th st.

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WANTED—A map or maps of Oakland and Berkeley. Address, giving price, G. & P. 3123 Harper st., South Berkeley, Cal.

WANTED—To buy blacksmith shop or rent; will buy what a man can get at invoice; must be cheap. Send full particulars to "Blacksmith," Box 118, Fruitvale, Cal.

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and Yokohama, Feb. 2
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Nebraska-Honolulu and Kahului, Feb. 1
Breakwater-Cosco Bay and Port Or-
ford, Feb. 1
City of Sydney-New York, via
Acapulco, Feb. 2
Queen-San Diego and way ports, Feb. 2
Point Arena-Point Arena and
Mendocino, Feb. 2
Corona-Bureka, Arcata, etc., Feb. 3
Bureka-Bureka, Arcata, etc., Feb. 3
Arcata-Bureka, Arcata, etc., Feb. 3
State of California-San Diego and
way ports, Feb. 6
Cosco Bay-New York, via
Cascadia-Portland and Astoria, Feb. 4
City of Portland-Alaska, Puget
Sound and Victoria, Feb. 6
Corona-Bureka, Arcata, etc., Feb. 6
Bureka-Bureka, Arcata, etc., Feb. 6
Arcata-Bureka, Arcata, etc., Feb. 6
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U. S. ship, Ohio, Logan, 3 1/2 days from
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Gray's Harbor.
S. S. ship, Corona, 20 hours from
Bureka.
S. S. ship, Del Norte, Payne, 30 hours from
Crescent City.
S. S. ship, Lampy, Roberts, 4 days 7 hours
from Victoria.
S. S. ship, Signal, Bendegard, 52 hours from
Cosco Bay.
S. S. ship, Star of California, Thomas, 40
hours from San Diego.
S. S. ship, Star of Oregon, 20 hours from
Monterey.
S. S. ship, Jennie Griffin, Gibson, 3 hours
from Bureka.
S. S. ship, Despatch, Weber, 40 hours from
Rondano.
S. S. ship, Star, Johnson, 5 days 18
hours from San Diego.
S. S. ship, Star, Johnson, 27 hours from
Alcatraz Landing.
S. S. ship, Star, Johnson, 18 days from
Guaymas, via Bureka 48 hours.
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from Gray's Harbor.
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Bureka.
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SENATE COMMITTEE TAKES UP BRIBERY CHARGES. CONSTITUENTS LETTERS GO TO LEGISLATORS.

Witnesses Subpoenaed and Testimony Will Be Taken at Session Set For This Evening.

Law-Makers Impressed With the Fact That People Are Keeping Sharp Eyes on Capitol.

[Special to THE TRIBUNE]
SACRAMENTO January 31.—The Senate investigation committee met last night in the Supreme Court room for the purpose of investigating the charges of bribery preferred by William Corbin Secretary of the Continental Building and Loan Association against Senators Bunkers French, Emmons and Wright. There were present a number of members of the Senate and citizens. All the accused were on hand save Senator Emmons who was announced as being sick. The investigators were Senators Belshaw, Rowell, Ralston, Simpson and Diggs. Senator Belshaw the chairman stated the purpose of the meeting. Senator Simpson suggested that witnesses be subpoenaed to come before the committee and that the inquiry be conducted after the manner of a trial in an informal manner however that is, that in the hearing the Senators be not governed by the strict rules of evidence.

This was agreed by the committee whereupon Chairman Belshaw announced that Senator Simpson would do the questioning of witnesses for the committee.

NICOL APPEARS

Attorney Frank D. Nicol of Stockton who had appeared as counsel for Corbin before the Senate in the morning, rose and said:

"I hope the committee will give this case as speed a trial as it is possible to give under the circumstances consistent with the idea of proceeding properly. It is needless to say we want all due expedition and therefore when we ask for delay it is only because we desire to proceed in a manner which while seemingly causing delay will in reality result in expedition. I don't want to delay this case one minute. This request is not made for the purpose of delaying at all. We simply desire witnesses who are in San Francisco to be brought here in fact the greater part of our evidence must be brought from San Francisco. I do not know that I shall appear later in the case but that is a matter of no moment at the present time."

SENATOR WRIGHT

Senator Wright one of the accused rose and with some indignation said:

"I have no fear of my innocence but my name and that of my associates have been placed under a dark cloud. The other side has come in here cocked and primed. They are making a mountain out of a molehill. They were ready this morning to make charges against me and other Senators and when they come before the committee they ask for a delay. This is not justice to myself. It is not justice to the other accused Senators. It is not fair to us. It is not fair in other respects to our side. The other side is willing to try the case with an attorney to represent it and to come to a conclusion. If there is going to be a prosecuting attorney to conduct this case against us I think in justice that we should be allowed attorneys who will be able to ask questions of the witnesses who are brought against us."

TALKING OF SHADOWS.

Attorney Nicol said he was entirely in favor of having an attorney act for the Senators who were accused. He was of that opinion because of the gravity of the charge. He was anxious to have the accused secure eminent counsel to appear for them. He well knew what it meant for men to be dragged in this manner with a stigma upon their name, before the people. It was not making a mountain out of a molehill but it was a mountain in the awful shadow of which they stood and from which shadow for the sake of their good name, they should emerge without a tarnish or bear the consequences.

Mr. Nicol suggested that the matter be continued until Wednesday evening.

Senator Belshaw said it would be impossible to get the witnesses to appear before the committee that night.

Mr. Nicol said that Mr. Corbin was present. He had already been sworn and it would not be necessary to swear him again. Mr. Corbin would be present at any time.

SPEEDY TRIAL

Senator Belshaw said it was desired to proceed with all due haste. Senator Wright's idea was the proper one. The accused were entitled to a speedy trial. If an adjournment should be

taken it should be to a definite time. So far as he was personally concerned he was willing to put the matter off till tonight but he wanted to impress on the attorney who had spoken for the prosecution that the accused must have as speedy a trial as possible.

On motion of Senator Simpson it was agreed that the accused Senators should be entitled to an attorney to conduct their case and ask questions of the witnesses on the other side.

EMMONS SICK

Attorney Copeland said he appeared for Senator Emmons who was sick and who was unable to appear. He wanted to have reasonable time in which to prepare. It was only four hours since the committee was appointed and here they proposed to go to trial without giving the accused scarcely any time in which to prepare their defense.

Chairman Belshaw asked how long Copeland would like in which to make arrangements and Copeland replied that he would be able to get ready by tonight.

It was then stated that if there was to be no session until this evening the accused Senators could be excused to take part in the investigation of the Realty Syndicate representatives of which were present and had come specially for the purpose of being heard by the Committee on Commissions and Retrenchment of which committee the four accused Senators were a part.

SYNDICATE PUT ASIDE

Senator Emmons said Senator French one of the accused was to be the investigator of that concern. Emmons is not well. He is not present and we cannot proceed in the matter. If you want to proceed tackle me. I'm no lawyer. I am ready.

At Murphy of The Examiner said that Managing Editor Robert of that paper was there on his way to the investigation. He asked if Mr. Robert could not be heard this morning.

Senator Belshaw said that it was with an understanding with him that Mr. Robert was coming and that he would do all he could to have Mr. Robert lose as little time as possible.

Attorney Nicol said his side would issue a subpoena for Mr. Robert.

It was then understood that the names of persons for whom it was desired subpoenas should issue should be left with the chairman of the committee.

NO MORE ROOM FOR PRISONERS

SEATTLE Wash., January 31.—The Federal Prison on McNeill's Island can take no more prisoners. A man sentenced to a year and a half in the Federal Court will have to serve his time in the King County Jail. A large number of convicts from Alaska have caused the present conditions. An effort will soon be made to build an addition.

VARNEY ESTATE

In the probate court yesterday Judge Ogden granted leave to the heirs of the late Robert Varney to merge their interest in the estate of the late Thomas Varney of Alameda into what is to be known as the Varney Estate Company. The heirs of Robert are Thomas H. B. Varney, Mary A. B. Varney and Henry B. Varney. The purpose of this action is to get the estate of Thomas Varney who left property to the value of \$360,000 in such a shape that it can be distributed. At present there are a number of legatees who must be settled with before the estate may be given to the various heirs.

LARGE LEMON

J. R. Staats of Alameda exhibits in the Oakland Board of Trade today an immense lemon measuring 14 1/2 inches in circumference. It is of the Ponderosa variety, grew upon a two year old tree and this single lemon weighs 1 1/2 pounds. After being exhibited in the window it will be preserved and placed in the permanent exhibit of products of this county in the rooms of the Board.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH CLUB

The Monday Club of Episcopal clergymen of Alameda county at its regular meeting at St. Paul's Church yesterday, elected for the present year the following officers: President, Rev. O. St. John Scott, pastor of St. Andrew's Church, Oakland; Secretary, Rev. Frank Bergley, Christ Church, Alameda.

[Special to THE TRIBUNE]
SACRAMENTO January 31.—Assemblyman Bates of Alameda County today received a bunch of letters from Alameda constituents commenting on a number of bills now before the Legislature. Among them was one from Superintendent of Schools Moore of that place in which strong objection was offered to the Kirk apportioning school money. Mr. Moore declared the measure should be opposed especially for the reason that it would deprive Alameda schools of \$4000 which they are now receiving from the state.

Mr. Bates also received several letters tying the passage of the bill abolishing vaccination as a condition necessary to enable children to attend public educational institutions. He said he was surprised to learn of the growth of opposition to vaccination in Alameda. He had not only been written to but had also been spoken to on the subject by people who he thought took no interest in the matter.

HAYWARDS LOSES \$1500 A YEAR

Assemblyman Strobridge has returned from a hasty trip to his home in Haywards. While there he spoke to a number of his constituents regarding school and other laws in which they are interested. Messrs. Langan, Crosby, School Trustees of the place, Messrs. Parsons, Hoare and Madison, Trustees of Castro Valley School District and some of the Trustees of the Mt. Eden School District all opposed in warm terms the Kirk School Apportionment bill.

People from Mt. Eden and San Leandro whom Mr. Strobridge met regretted that the question of patronizing High Schools had come up. Neither of those places has a High school of its own and both are located outside the High School District of Haywards yet the advanced children of Mt. Eden and San Leandro attend the High school in the latter place with no expense to themselves at the same time however availing themselves of accommodations which the Haywards District would like to reserve for its own young people.

TWO BILLS PROPOSED.

There are two bills bearing upon this point before the Assembly and Senate one of which proposes to charge children from outside districts who attend District High Schools tuition at a rate representing the difference between the amount of money paid the school by the State for support per capita and the actual cost of educating a scholar. The amount thus to be paid for each pupil is not to exceed \$3 per quarter. The other bill provides that this extra tuition may be paid by the trustees of the school district in which the pupil resides.

In the Senate both these bills are now on second reading.

Mr. Strobridge says that an attempt is to be made to introduce a substitute bill which will merge the best features of both. He says that if San Leandro and Mt. Eden should join the High School District of Haywards the present school tax would be decreased from 14 to 10 cents on \$100 of valuation.

PROFESSORS WANT TO "FIND COIN"

Outside work that is work done by the professors of the University of

California when they are not engaged in lecturing to their classes is generally of a remunerative character. The bill of Assemblyman Gates prohibits professors from doing any save their University work.

Assemblyman Waste received a number of letters today, from University professors protesting against the passage of the measure.

President Wheeler has intimated that he is not opposed to professors doing outside work, especially professors of technical colleges provided they do not allow that work to interfere with their regular duties at the University.

STAMP TAX DEAD

Assemblyman Waste has reported adversely to a proposed stamp tax as a means of increasing the revenue of the state. This idea was favored at first but more mature consideration showed that so many difficulties would be experienced in carrying the idea into practice that it was deemed advisable, at least for this session, to abandon it. It was to be put into effect mainly on proprietary medicines and various articles of which a long list was prepared. It was found however that a complicated machinery would have to be employed to put it into effect. New officers would have to be created which was not considered advisable. Stamps would have to be designed, engraved and printed involving considerable outlay and requiring a great deal of time and then when everything else was attended to, the law would be running up against the inter-state law.

DR. DILLE AND POOLS

Rev. E. K. Dille, pastor of the First M. E. Church of Oakland was a visitor at the Capitol and was warmly greeted by a number of acquaintances. He stated to THE TRIBUNE correspondent that he had not called for any special purpose but simply to see some friends as he was passing. He occupied for some moments a chair beside President Anderson in the Senate. When about to leave the chamber he said he would have a few words to say regarding the race-pool bill to its author Assemblyman Espey of Oakland. Mr. Espey however was not in attendance having been detained in Oakland to which place he had gone last Friday night.

Regarding the attitude of the clergymen of Oakland toward the bill in question Rev. Mr. Dille said:

"There has thus far been no concerted movement of the clergy of Oakland regarding the bill which prohibits the selling of pools at horse-races. Of course all of them are opposed to pools and in favor of the bill. Some of the ministers have spoken against the bill at prayer-meetings. Some of them also have preached against it. We are however, I think waiting to have the bill get out of committee if it ever does come out."

PRESIDENT WHEELER'S WELCOME.

The President of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly have received the following telegram from President Wheeler of the University of California:

Berkeley, January 30th.—Mrs. Wheeler and myself cordially invite all members of Assembly and Senate with their wives to lunch with us at

WOMEN! MARRY EARLY; WHEN MARRIED, WORK! SAYS U. C. PROFESSOR.

Declares If All Men Must Support Wives Deterioration of Race Will Result.

NEW YORK January 31.—In an address before the League of Education here Simon N. Patten professor of political economy of the University of Pennsylvania has advocated that women should marry early, and when married they should work in order to have economic independence.

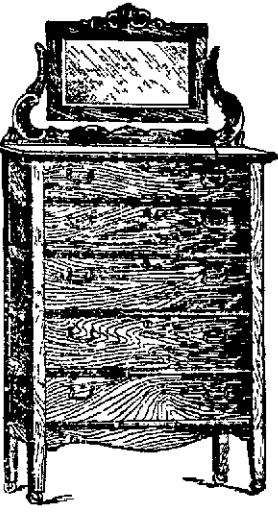
Professor Patten deplored the fact that so many married women are in the leisure class.

He argued that if the ideal which is held by so many men in regard to the support of their wives is carried out much further it will result in a deterioration of the race and a real danger to society.

In order to carry out this plan of economic independence Professor Patten stated that the standard of life of the family should never fall below that created by the joint income of husband and wife and under no condition should the wife think of allowing the burden of her support to fall upon her husband until the earning power of the husband has been so enlarged as to admit such action.

Lack of income he concluded is a reason often advanced against early marriage. While I realize that this kind of a condition offers disadvantages I believe that where both the man and woman set out in industrial development, they will at the same time, develop in character also."

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The message referred to the University Committee of the Assembly and the Committee on Education of the Senate

TEA EXPERTS MEET.

NEW YORK, January 31.—The Board of Tea Experts for 1905 recently appointed by Secretary Shaw has convened here to fix the standards for the coming year. The board will be in session about a week and its report will then be forwarded to Secretary Shaw for approval. Under the findings of the board thousands of pounds of low grade teas are excluded from this country every year in order to conform to the standard of quality fixed by the board.

SOLD LIQUOR

Charles Balaban a laborer who formerly resided at 137 Thirteenth street was arrested yesterday afternoon by Chief of Police Hodgkins and Policeman Murphy on a charge of selling liquor without a license. The arrest was made at the instance of License Inspector Meek who alleges the arrested man sold sure of wine to his customers during the month of December. He was released on \$100 bail.

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MAXWELL LOSES SUIT.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT DID NOT HAVE JURISDICTION

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 31.—United States District Judge William H. Hunt of Montana handed down a decision yesterday in the United States Circuit Court in the case of the United States, on the relation of John P. Maxwell against Augustus E. Barrett.

Barrett was the contractor who built the Postoffice at Oakland. Maxwell sought to recover \$1776 alleged to be due for hardware bought by the contractor. The American Bonding and Trust Company of Baltimore, which surety for \$80,000 on Barrett's bonds raised a demurrer to the suit on the ground that the United States was not a party to the action and that therefore the Circuit Court was without jurisdiction. Judge Hunt yesterday sustained the demurrer and gave his reasons for throwing the case out of his court. The decision will be read with interest as it affects a large number of similar cases in this State.

The Circuit Court has a cognizance of any controversy in which the United States is plaintiff. In the case at bar the United States is not in the proper sense, or within the intent of Congress, plaintiff in the controversy presented for it is without concern or interest therein. Maxwell himself recognized this fact when in the title of the case he designated himself as the plaintiff, when he described himself in the body of the complaint as plaintiff, and when in the verification he swore that he was plaintiff. I think Congress intended to confer a jurisdiction over suits and actions in which are controversies affecting the United States as plaintiff and in which the Government of the United States is more than a mere figurehead.

I am aware that the learned Judge who delivered the opinion in United States vs. Churchyard, 122 Fed. Rep. 83 is of opinion that in actions of this kind Circuit Courts have jurisdiction, but I think he failed to give effect to the principle that no case is within the jurisdiction of Federal courts (inferior to the Supreme Court) unless Congress has unmistakably conferred it. Support for the conclusion that this court is without jurisdiction is founded in the able opinions of Judges Baker and Evans delivered in United States vs. Lumber Company vs. Federling, 102 Fed. Rep. 2 and United States vs. Stone Company vs. Sheridan, 119 Fed. Rep. 226. The decision of the American Bonding and

Trust Company of Baltimore is sustained and an order will be made dismissing the action for want of jurisdiction of the subject matter."

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Harriet Howard of 209 W. 34th street, New York at one time had her beauty spoiled with skin trouble. She writes: "I had Salt Rheum or Eczema for years, but nothing would cure it until I used Eucleda's America Salve. A quick and sure healer for cuts, burns and sores. See at Osgood's drug stores, Seventh and Broadway, and Twelfth and Washington streets."

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